

# THE NAPANEE

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NOTICE!

## War Summary of The Latest Events

The German attack between the Canal of La Bassee and the Ypres-Comines Canal, to the north of the Messines Ridge, has taken on the proportions of a battle of the first magnitude. Sir Douglas Haig reports that during Wednesday's fighting north of Armentieres the weight of the enemy's assault pressed the British back to the line of the Wytschaete-Messines Ridge and Ploegsteert. At one stage of the struggle bodies of German infantry succeeded in climbing the slope and forcing their way into the ruins of Messines on the crest of the ridge. They were driven out by a counter-attack. South of Armentieres the enemy has forced his way across the Lys at certain points north of Estaires. In the region between Estaires and La Bassee Canal he has had indifferent success. He got into Lestrem and Givenchy, and was driven out in both cases. At Givenchy he left 800 prisoners in the hands of the British. Berlin, however, counts that and has something on the credit side, for it is stated in an official German report that six thousand prisoners and a hundred guns have been captured in the region between La Bassee and Armentieres.

General Maurice, director of military operations at the War Office, in a statement to the press Wednesday, said the German attack north of Armentieres had placed that town in an

awkward salient. Its loss, he added, would not be a vital matter, but it was still hoped that it would not be necessary to withdraw from it. The enemy's first rush in the extension of his attack north of the Lys carried him into Ploegsteert Wood, which lies south of the Messines Ridge, and which the Canadians occupied for a time while they held the Ypres salient. The wood was shattered in an extraordinary way during the battle of Messines, and will not afford much shelter to the enemy. He hopes here, by pushing up the valley of a stream called La Douve, to outflank the British positions on Messines Ridge. Success is not likely. British guns on the high land at Neuve Eglise and Kemmel Hill, where the batteries were placed that last spring pounded to pieces the German positions on the Messines Ridge, absolutely command the Valley of La Douve, and after the Germans emerge from Ploegsteert Wood, if they ever do, they will have to face a perfect hurricane of converging fire. They have made good progress in their first rush, and pocketed Armentieres, which is almost certain to be evacuated, but the Kemmel Hill-Neuve Eglise-Bailleul triangle will be likely to break their teeth.

At the south end of the Lys battlefield the British by a vigorous counter-thrust have recaptured Givenchy, and with it have taken about 800 prisoners. The enemy fought with stubbornness to retain Givenchy as a protection to their left flank. Their failure will prevent them from pushing too far west on the line of La Bassee Canal. The most westerly point reached in the German advance Wednesday appears to have been Croix-du-Bac. Here he is five miles southeast of Bailleul, with the going uphill all the way.

It was stated in a bulletin Wednesday that American troops had arrived at the battlefield and would shortly be in action. There was nothing to show whether the battlefield referred to was that of the Somme or the new battlefield in the Lys Valley. It is possible that as the Americans are to be attached to various divisions in the proportion of a battalion to a brigade, they are in the Lys region as well as on the Somme. Their help will be timely in taking the place of the Portuguese divisions that bore the brunt of the enemy's attack, and which must have furnished the greater part of the six thousand prisoners claimed by Berlin.

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W. A. GRANGE,

Town Clerk.

Clerk's Office, Napanee, April 11, 1918.

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cords of their travels, insist on hav-  
ing "Kodak" film and Velox paper?  
Simply because they can rely on these  
to get results under all weather con-  
ditions. Look for word "Kodak" on  
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Sold in Napanee at WALLACE'S Drug  
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the Germans suffered another severe  
check at Castel. General Maurice an-  
nounced that during the French re-  
tirement in the Coucy region two bat-  
talions—about two thousand men—  
were cut off and forced to surrender.  
Activity on this sector of the Upper  
Oise has died down, but on the Meuse  
greatly increased artillery fire seems  
to indicate the outbreak of another  
battle to the southeast of Verdun.

The German submarine did very  
badly during last week. Only four  
vessels of over 1,600 tons and two of  
less tonnage were sunk together with  
two fishing boats. Only once since  
the intensive submarine campaign be-  
gan, over a year ago, have the sink-  
ings been so low. During the week  
of November 11th, 1917, one vessel  
of over 1,600 tons and five of less  
tonnage were sunk. The submarine is  
not going to win the war for Ger-  
many.

Campbell's Varnish Stain, the best  
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## SEED OATS

The first car of Improved O.A.C. No. 72 Seed Oats is all sold. It  
was the best car of seed oats ever brought to the county. Another car of  
these same oats will arrive in Napanee on Saturday.

These oats weigh 42 pounds to the bushel, are perfectly clean, very  
thin in the hull, and large meaty kernels. Every farmer in the county  
should get enough oats to sow at least one field. Farmers who have light  
oats should feed their oats and buy enough of these good oats to sow all  
their oat crop.

## SEED CORN

A car of Ensilage Seed Corn testing 96 per cent. in sand and 90 per  
cent. in blotting paper has been purchased. This is a white corn similar  
to Wisconsin No. 7. This corn will be sold to farmers at cost.

## MARQUIS SEED WHEAT

The first car of Marquis Seed Wheat has all been sold, but another  
car has been ordered, rushed by express. Farmers wanting wheat can ob-  
tain it at \$2.00 per bushel while the supply lasts.

**G. B. Curran, Agent,**

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kinds of grinding on shortest notice.

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and Mr. Thos. Kimmitt returned from  
Colorado on Thursday last where  
they have spent a few months with  
relatives.

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Easter holidays with her parents  
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exceeding five hundred dollars (\$500)  
or to imprisonment for a term  
not exceeding six months or to fine  
and imprisonment.

4. These regulations shall be  
force and effect from and after the  
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(Sgd.) C. A. McGRATH

Fuel Controller

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## CAPT. CARRIE AND Y.M.C.A. OVERSEAS

Quite contrary to the usual experience a very small attendance was present on Tuesday evening at the Town Hall to hear Capt. Carrie, who spoke in the interest of the overseas Y.M.C.A.

Capt. Carrie is a graduate of Toronto University who was taking post-graduate work at Oxford when the war broke out. He at once enlisted in Y.M.C.A. work with the British forces, and ever since he has been engaged in that work.

The lecture on Tuesday night would rank among the best of its kind ever heard in Nananee. The speaker's pleasing off-hand manner, his fine power of description, and sly humor, captivated the audience.

The occasion of the lecture was the opening of the "Big Drive." The object of this drive to secure for the Y.M.C.A. overseas the sum of \$2,125,000. The campaign for the actual collecting of this money will be held during May 7th, 8th and 9th. The objective in Nananee is \$4000.

Captain Carrie described the Y.M.C.A. work overseas in its various activities.

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2. Its work in Rest Camps, which comprise arranging for:

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3. Its leave work, care for soldiers going away on leave. A man in a strange country unable to speak the language, would soon become an easy mark for the sharper were it not for the Y.M., where representative meets him at the depot, takes him to a good home and plans out his trips for him and accompanies him back to the line.

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5. The religious work, Bible classes, Song Services, Communion Services, and regular evangelistic work.

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On the train which takes the soldier to St. John on Haliux is a Y.M. officer, another takes the trip across, still another meets him when he lands in England. In camp there, across the channel, in France and back again to Hospital or home, the

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Not often does one have an op- portunity of having such a clear, in- teresting and vivid account of actual conditions among Canada's fighting men, in trenches, in rest and on leave as Captain Carrie gave on Tuesday night.

Trinkets or cash for Y.M.C.A. Fund received at Mr. F. L. Hooper's.

## ODESSA.

Lieut. E. E. Robinson, who has been in charge of the Salvation Army for the past seven months, during which time he has become very popu- lar, gave his farewell sermon on Sun- day night.

Tuesday night a number of officers and members from Kingston, includ- ing the boys' band, gave an interest- ing entertainment.

Friday night Capt. Foster arrived and a pleasing reception was prepared for him at the officers' quarters.

The Ladies' Aid social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Orange Babcock last Wednesday night was a great success, about seventy-five being in attend- ance.

Mrs. H. Burley is visiting her daugh- ter, Mrs. Bolton, Belleville.

Miss Errington Sunridge is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Wood.

Mrs. Lewis Snider is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Freeman, Sydenham.

Mrs. A. Baker has returned from spending the winter with her son, Percival, in Toronto.

Miss Lizzie Lawlor has returned from visiting her sister, Mrs. James Burns, Tamworth.

The Odessa Dramatic Club gave the popular comedy of "Josiah's Court- ship" in Bath last Friday night, in aid of the public library.

A daughter has been born to Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Oswald.

## WILTON SCHOOL REPORT.

IV.—Honors—Gordon Parsons; Pass—Gordon Clarke, Clinton Bab- cock; Below Pass—Aleita Babcock, Marjorie Storms, Dorothy Neilson.

JR. IV.—John A. McDonald, Lena Kennedy, Luella Peters, Edward Bab- cock, Vincent Kennedy, Graydon Snider, Walter Cole.

JR. III.—Helen Asselstine, Franklin Parrott, Irwin Fairweather, Edward Parrott.

SR. II.—Reta Newman, Edith Shib- ley, Vivian Brown, Iva Snider.

JR. II.—Bert Asselstine, Ethel Bab- cock, Bernard Kennedy, Hazel Brown, Irene Burt, Lena Babcock, Bruce Bab- cock.

SR. FIRST.—Jean Burgess, Arthur Burt, Arthur Simmons, Lillian Bab- cock, Delbert Simmons.

JR. PR.—Helen Babcock, Florence Kennedy, Gordon Cole, Willie Grif- fith, Ariele Parrott, Violet Babcock.

Send the boys at the front a "Kodak" picture of familiar sights around the old home. It will cheer them up more than anything. Ko- daks and supplies are sold in Napanee only at WALLACE'S.

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## NEWS TOPICS OF WEEK

Important Events Which Have Occurred During the Week.

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## WEDNESDAY.

Quebec city last night was quiet. The State of Indiana went "bone dry" at midnight.

Mayor Mederic Martin was re-elected in Montreal by a majority of 7,270 over Controller Ainey.

James and Stanley Wood, aged 11 and 10, were drowned while fishing in the Thames river near Chatham.

The Daylight-saving Bill was passed in committee in the House of Commons and stands for third reading.

Toronto will have a tag day to raise funds for the entertainment of the furlough men of the First Contingent.

Robert Heyworth, 14 years of age, was shot and instantly killed in Owen Sound by Jack Tizzard, who was firing at a bird.

Massachusetts is now supporting the Federal prohibition movement. The State Senate has ratified the prohibitory amendment.

Two houses were destroyed by fires in Farnham last night, with city brigades unable to give assistance on account of bad roads.

Flight Lieut. C. K. Wilson, of Toronto, was killed in an airplane accident in England, according to a cable received by his parents.

The eighth long-range bombardment of Paris began at 10.10 o'clock yesterday, when a projectile exploded in the region of the city.

The Reid Wrecking Co., with drydock and shipbuilding plant at Port Huron, will merge with the Foundation Company of New York.

Exchange of the instruments of ratification of the peace treaty concluded between the Central Powers and Russia took place on March 30.

Credits to the allies by the United States in the last year were raised to-day to more than \$5,000,000,000 by a loan of \$200,000,000 to Great Britain.

Delegates to the O.E.A. had severe criticism for the Department of Education, claiming that local authorities are unable to adopt the system to local needs.

The Ontario Educational Association convention was formally opened last night with the address of the president, Dean Pakenham of the Faculty of Education.

The big White Star liner Celtic, which was torpedoed a day or two ago while on a voyage to the United States, has reached a British port safely. The Celtic is a vessel of more than 20,000 tons.

## THURSDAY.

Bombing of German cities is causing great damage to property.

Armand Lavigne has been debarred from entering St. Roch district of Quebec city.

Oleomargarine regulations were the subject of lengthy and vigorous debate in the Commons.

The steamer Macassa left for Hamilton, opening the navigation season in Toronto harbor.

A neutral observer who has just left Germany says the public begins to believe that offensive is a failure.

The United States will take measures to hasten the operation of the program calling drafts to the colors.

The new regulations for bakeries



Frieda Held, who was dismissed because she criticized the second verse of "God Save the King."

## SATURDAY.

Lord Robert Cecil declares that Count Czernin has shown clearly that he is favorable to Prussian policy and ideals.

Two men held up the staff of the Royal Bank branch at Cote des Neiges, Montreal, and escaped with \$5,000 in notes.

Toronto accorded a great welcome to the Archbishop of York, who addressed a capacity audience in Massey Hall last night.

The Provincial Government will appropriate \$25,000 to provide extra club quarters for Ontario soldiers in London, England.

King George sent a message of congratulation to President Wilson on the anniversary of the United States' entry into the war.

The Provincial Dairy Conference at Guelph unanimously passed a resolution looking to the formation of a provincial Dairy Committee.

Alfred Jex, of Brantford, died at the Base Hospital, Toronto, of spinal meningitis, having taken ill three days after reporting for service.

Toronto officials and military officers gave a rousing send-off to the twenty-six furlough men who started their return journey to France last night.

Judge Wedderburn of the County Court of St. John, N.B., former Speaker of the Legislature and also ex-Provincial Secretary, is dead, at the age of 84 years.

Baron Rhonda, British Fuel Controller, in a cable received in Toronto, paid tribute to Ontario's efforts in food production, and urged a continuation of the campaign.

Ernest Decarie, M.P., Robert A. Ross, C.E., Hon. Chas. March, M.P., Alphonse Verville, M.P., and Mr. Arnold, City Treasurer, have been appointed by the Provincial Cabinet Commissioners for the city of Montreal.

## MONDAY.

President Poincare has refused to pardon Bola Pasha, who will accordingly be executed.

Arrangements are being made for holding peace negotiations between Russian and the Ukraine.

Major Albert Victor S. Nordheimer, Toronto, was reported killed in the present offensive, and his cousin, Roy B. Nordheimer, was reported wounded.

The House, before adjourning in the early hours of Saturday morning, passed in a couple of minutes a war appropriation of five hundred million dollars.

The Canadian Seed-purchasing Commission has in transit for distribution in Eastern Canada 300,000 bushels of high-grade inspected seed oats, to be sold at net cost.

## DRIVE IS ABANDONED

Germans Are Now Extend the Battle Line.

Plans Have Been Altered Follow the Repulse of Teutons — Tried In Vain to Smash Thro to Amiens — War Lords Hope That They Would Reach Paris.

LONDON, April 9. — French, British and American troops strongly entrenched, and well equipped for battle, the German army for the moment given up its drive against Amiens. Following their repulse in his efforts to sm straight through to his objective, enemy is now attempting a manoeuvre, which is intended to broaden the field of action and reduce the menace of a counter-offensive which would nullify all gains made by the Teutons since March 21.

Reports from the battle line close the first stages of this new offensive aimed at either side the salient in the allied lines. From La Bassée Canal, in the north, to sectors east of Laon, the great artillery forces of the enemy are thdering with the bombardment, dening at places to the intensity of drumfire.

The length of this front is approximately 120 miles. North of Laon, east of Arras, along the new front running through Bucquoy to Albert south to Montdidier and thence eastward past Lassigny and Noyon to a point far beyond Chauny, the Germans are hammering the allied line in an attempt to break the defence and prepare them for the final assault which may be expected at moment.

On the western "elbow" of the salient, in the allied lines, the Germans are forced to fight uphill. To advance across the lower ground along the Somme, Ancre, Avre, Luce rivers has carried them up a parapet of hills which sentinel road to Amiens. Attacks along natural bulwark have netted the enemy only insignificant gains at a terrible cost. At points the German efforts have gained, but these gains have resulted only in the formation of sharp salients which are swept by machine-gun fire and the pests of shells whenever our troops are seen forming for attack.

There is a wholesome respect in the German General Staff for allied reserve army, which appears to have been drawn up lightly to meet the Teutonic tactics. The attack on the French lines southeast of Chauny is for purpose of removing a menacing threat and the gaining of better position to the German left flank. This assault is still going on. Germans struck through the forest of Coucy and have reached point south of the village of Polbray. The Berlin official statement claims that 2,000 prisoners have been taken.

That an attack of large dimensions is planned for the front from Arras northward to Lens is considered probable by military experts. As this front is in its present position the Germans cannot exert its full strength on the line between Amiens. The cannonade in this region may be the prelude of a major attack such as bent the British during the latter days of March.

Statements of German prisoners have convinced French military leaders that the real objective of great German offensive was Paris.

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tomers.  
Bernard P. McEnaney, well-known  
mining man, died suddenly in his  
apartment on Sherbourne street,  
Toronto.

Twenty-one returned officers will go  
to the United States to aid in the  
third American Liberty Loan cam-  
paign.  
Chemicals valued at \$50,000 that  
cannot be replaced on account of em-  
bargoes were destroyed in a fire in  
Toronto.  
At a meeting of the Central Rate-  
payers' Association the expenses of  
Government House upkeep were  
strongly criticized.  
Premier Clemenceau of France  
gives direct denial to Count Czernin's  
statement that Austria's terms  
had been asked for.  
Reports of the Quebec rioting from  
Military Headquarters and from Lt.-  
Col. Machin were read in the Com-  
mons by Premier Borden.  
Jennings Forster, of Leamington,  
ten years old, died in convulsions  
from ptomaine poisoning through  
drinking maple syrup out of a rusty  
pail.  
Dr. Horace L. Brittain in his re-  
port to the annual meeting of the  
Bureau of Industrial Research held  
that public ownership enterprises  
should be self-supporting.

FRIDAY.  
A revolution has broken out in  
Southern Costa Rica.  
Quebec is about normal again, but  
the military are still in charge.  
The Daylight Saving Bill was read  
the third time in the House of  
Commons.  
Important regulations to prevent  
food hoarding have been made by the  
Food Board.  
Canada's gold reserve still exceeds  
by some millions the Dominion notes  
outstanding.  
At a provincial gathering of the  
Y.M.C.A. a Red Triangle Club cam-  
paign was planned to raise funds.  
Amazing admissions of pacifism  
were made by Christadelphians at  
Hamilton before Mr. Justice Rose.  
The Hydro-electric Power Commis-  
sion has completed the purchase of  
the Essex County Light and Power Co.  
Gen. Pershing has been awarded  
the Grand Cross of the Order of Leo-  
pold, the highest Belgium can be-  
stow.  
Major C. M. McLean, of the Royal  
Artillery, son of Col. McLean, mem-  
ber for Sunbury, Queen's, is reported  
wounded.  
Gen. McDougall, commander of  
the Canadian Forestry units, has  
been decorated with the Cross of the  
Legion of Honor.

The Provincial Department of  
Agriculture will co-operate with Ot-  
tawa in urging the growing of more  
flax to meet war demands.  
So far about 32,000 men have  
been drafted under the Military Ser-  
vice Act, the cost of administering  
which to date has amounted to nearly  
a million and a half.  
W. F. O'Connor, one of the men  
who has done genuine and disinter-  
ested public service, has voluntarily  
resigned from the post of Cost of  
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The Board of Education for the  
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At a spectacular fire on Royce ave-  
nue Saturday afternoon, 200,000 gal-  
lons of lubricating oil in the Galena  
Signal Gas Co. plant were destroyed,  
at a loss in excess of \$200,000.  
Coal prices will remain stationary  
in Toronto at \$9.75 and \$10 per ton  
during the summer months, and nor-  
mal requirements of over six tons  
will be reduced by thirty per cent.  
The "Father and Son Movement"  
was inaugurated in Hamilton with  
special services in a number of  
churches, and meetings are to be held  
through this week to further the  
idea.  
The Government has provided  
\$400,000 for a plant to produce fuel  
from the lignite of Eastern Sas-  
katchewan, and has taken steps to-  
wards developing the peat bogs of  
Ontario.

TUESDAY.  
Newsprint men say they are threat-  
ened with a strike unless they raise  
wages.  
Greeks are recruiting in the Cau-  
casian army to fight against the  
Turks.  
A Toronto sergeant and a Calgary  
private have been awarded the Vic-  
toria Cross.  
Moscow is greatly agitated over  
the landing of Japanese soldiers at  
Vladivostok.  
More than two million dollars was  
paid in 1916-17 in customs duties on  
farm implements.  
A reprieve has been granted to  
Bojo Pascha, but it is expected to be  
of short duration.  
Large industrial users of gas in  
Western Ontario will likely be obli-  
ged to use other fuel after July 1.  
Lt.-Col. Noel Marshall brought a  
cheque for \$500,000 from the Ameri-  
can Red Cross as a gift to the Cana-  
dian fund.  
The 85th annual meeting of the  
Upper Canada Tract Society was held  
last night in the Bible Training Col-  
lege, Toronto.

The City Council of Toronto will  
memorialize Sir Robert Borden, ask-  
ing for the reinstatement of Cost of  
Living Commissioner O'Connor.  
Women of the Social Service Club  
decided to petition the Minister of  
Justice at Ottawa to have more se-  
vere penalties in seduction cases.  
During the past three months  
11,482 volunteers have joined the  
Canadian forces, and in January and  
February 17,428 men were drafted.  
Twenty-one short-term prisoners at  
Dorchester Penitentiary have volun-  
teered and been accepted to serve in  
the war on condition of receiving  
pardons at its termination.  
Premier Borden announced in the  
Commons an order-in-Council passed  
on March 9 looking to the abolishment  
of hereditary titles in Canada and  
the restriction of other titles and dis-  
tinctions.

## Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

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is planned for the front from Arr  
northward to Lens is consider  
probable by military experts. As lo  
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and that so far from expecting che-  
which would make Amiens the ge-  
of bloody and undecisive battles.  
Teutonic high command sent  
forces for and prepared for ra-  
advances in open warfare.  
"In order to alleviate the march  
the troops," says an official despat-  
"the order was given to prepare  
their departure and to organize  
convoys in such a way as only  
carry with them what was indispe-  
sable. The remainder was to be sto-  
at a depot designated by the di-  
sions. The loading carriages, the  
munitions to be carried, the equi-  
ment and arming of the men all had  
been carefully planned, as well  
the distribution of mays of the co-  
try to be invaded, the men so car-  
reserves of food enough to last t-  
days, and two flasks, the usual fo-  
for a day following them in roll-  
kitchens and provisions for th-  
days in company convoys. In sh-  
every arrangement shows that  
German command had decided to  
sort to open warfare. It is cer-  
that the military situation after m-  
than 15 days of operations is one  
extreme disappointment to the G-  
man command."

Entitled to Prefix "Sir."  
The Order of the British Emp-  
was instituted in June last. It f-  
lows the precedents of other simi-  
orders and consists of five class-  
and is awarded to both men and w-  
men for services rendered to the E-  
pire at home or abroad. The fi-  
two classes, in the case of m-  
carry the honor of knighthood, a-  
in the case of women the privi-  
of prefixing the title "Dame" to th-  
names. Sir Charles Gordon,  
Montreal, was the first Canadian  
receive the Knighthood of the Or-  
of Empire in August last. The  
classes of the order for men, w-  
the letters which the different me-  
bers are entitled to affix to th-  
names, are: Knights Grand Cr-  
(G.B.E.), Knights Commanders  
(B.E.), Commanders (C.B.E.), C-  
sors (O.B.E.), and Members (M-  
E.). The five classes for women a-  
Dames Grand Cross (G.B.E.), Da-  
Commanders (C.B.E.), Officers  
(B.E.), and Members (M.B.E.).  
Sir Frank Baillie, who has rece-  
ly received the Order, is president  
the Canadian Aeroplanes, Limit-  
and a director of the Aviation  
Department of the Imperial Munition  
Board. He was at one time priv-  
secretary of the late Senator C-  
and later was secretary of the C-  
tral Canada Loan and Savings  
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whist player. He formerly used in  
than 1,200 packs of cards a year  
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Reports from the battle line disse the first stages of this new Ger-n offensive aimed at either side of salient in the allied lines. From Bassee Canal, in he north, to the tors east of Laon, the great artill-ry forces of the enemy are thun-ning with the bombardment, deep-ning at places to the intensity of imfire.

The length of this front is approxi-ly 120 miles. North of Lens, t of Arras, along the new front nning through Bucquoy to Albert, th to Montdidier and thence east- rd past Laassigny and Noyon to a nt far beyond Chauny, the Ger-ns are hammering the allied lines an attempt to break the defences l prepare them for the infantry ult which may be expected at any ment.

On the western "elbow" of the lent, in the allied lines, the Ger-ns are forced to fight uphill. Their uance across the lower ground ng the Somme, Ancre, Avre and e rivers has carried them up to a apet of hills which sentinel the d to Amiens. Attacks along this al bulwark have netted the eny only insignificant gains at a horle cost. At points the German rts have gained, but these gains e resulted only in the formation sharp salients which are swept by e and machine-gun fire and temts of shells whenever enemy ops are seen forming for an ack.

There is a wholesome respect in German General Staff for the ed reserve army, which as yet ears to have been drawn upon ntly to meet the Teutonic at-ks. The attack on the French s southeast of Chauny is for the pose of removing a menacing sat and the gaining of better po-ion to the German left flank. s assault is still going on. The mans struck through the lower est of Coucy and have reached a nt south of the village of Polem-y. The Berlin official statement ms that 2,000 prisoners have n taken.

That an attack of large dimensions planned for the front from Arras thward to Lens is considered ably by military experts. As long this front is in its present posi- the Germans cannot exert their l strength on the line before lens. The cannonade in this ren may be the prelude of a massed ack such as bent the British line ng the latter days of March.

Statements of German prisoners e convinced French military cri- that the real objective of the at German offensive as Paris,

# NO TITLED ARISTOCRACY.

Federal Government Takes Action In This Matter.

OTTAWA, April 9.—No titled aristocracy will take root upon Cana-dian soil if the expressed wish of the Government of Canada and the opin-ions of members of the House of Commons prevail with the authorities in Britain, and there is reason to be-lieve they will. Already the Govern-ment, Sir Robert Borden announced during the debate Monday, has com-municated to the British Government proposals that in future the royal prerogative be not exercised to con-fer any hereditary title upon a sub-ject of his Majesty resident in Cana-da. This request was embodied in an order-in-Council which was pass-ed by the Government on March 9th last, and which was approved by the Governor-General after correspond-ence with the Colonial Secretary, on March 25th. The Government, in the same order, further suggests that af-ter a reasonable time the hereditary character of titles already borne by Canadians be extinguished, and that in future non-hereditary titles such as the Order of Knighthood, be con-ferred only with the approval and advice of the Canadian Government unless such honors are given for ser-vice during the present war, or by the Sovereign upon his own motion. Sir Robert expressed confidence that all these requests, except possibly that providing for the abolition of the hereditary character of existing titles, would be readily acceded to. Of the proposal that peerages now held by Canadians should not be per-mitted to descend to their heirs, Prem-ier pointed out that it would proba-bly require consideration. The whole subject would, he announced, be discussed during his forthcoming visit to England, and in the mean-time, no honors would be granted except in accordance with the Cana-dian Government's proposals.

The suggestion that the Canadian Government should advise the crown upon the exercise of the pre-rogative of bestowing honors and titular distinctions were put forward in 1902, when Sir Wilfrid Laurier was Prime Minister. At that time, however, the late Right Hon. Joseph Chamberlain took the position that in all but exceptional cases the re-sponsibility of recommending persons for honors rested upon the Imperial Government. He suggested that if service of a political or administra-tive character rendered in the sphere of the Canadian Government was to be recognized that Government might make recommendations. In other cases in which it was proposed to confer honors the Dominion Prime Minister would simply be entitled to make such observations as he might desire upon a list submitted to him.

# INCITE MOORS TO REVOLT.

The Latest German Plot Against France and Spain.

LONDON, April 9.—The object of German aims in Morocco is to upset the existing regime. French and Spaniards alike declare that the so-called independent Morocco is tied hand and foot to Germany. The French have realized the German objectives, but the Spaniards still disbelieve them, on the ground that even the Germans are incapable of such treachery.

The Times gives proposals made to Raisuli and others by Germans actually in Morocco. The first is that on the declaration of a German victory in France there should be a revolution of the tribes in the French

# SNUBBED THE AUSTRIAN

How General Smuts Treated a Diplomat.

He Asked If German Vassals Desired Separate Peace and When an Evasive Answer Was Given, Famous Boer Statesman Simply Said "Then, Good Night."

PARIS, April 9. — Gen. Smuts, South African delegate in London for the British Cabinet, was, according to Le Matin, the "figure high in the council of the Entente allies" referred to by Premier Clemenceau in his statement of April 5th denying the assertion of Count Czernin that the French Prime Minister had sought to open peace negotiations with Austria-Hungary. The representative of the Dual Monarchy who met Gen. Smuts in Switzerland was Count Mensdorff-Pouilly-Dietrichstein, Austro-Hungarian Ambassador at London when the war broke out.

Immediately upon being introduced to Count Mensdorff, says the news-paper, in relating the interview, Gen. Smuts, taking the initiative in the conversation, bluntly said:

"Is it true that you wish to make a separate peace?" This direct query was too much for the trained diplo-mat, and the count began a long, evasive reply.

"Yes or no?" reiterated the British representative.

Obtaining no direct reply, Gen. Smuts said:

"Then, good night!"

The interview lasted barely three minutes, Vienna was shocked, Le Matin says, at the boorish manner of the old Transvaal warrior.

Alexander Ribot, who was Premier from March until September, 1917, to-day refused to make any statement concerning the incident, saying:

"The present Government is perfectly competent to give such explana-tions as are deemed necessary."

Premier Clemenceau in the course of his statement in answer to Count Czernin's charge, said:

"It would be too easy to recall to what extent Austria has importuned Rome, Washington and London with solicitations for an alleged separate peace which had no other aim than to slip upon us the yoke which she professes to find to her taste. Who does not know the story of a recent meeting (in Switzerland, of course) of a former Austrian ambassador and a figure high in the councils of the Entente allies? The conference lasted only a few minutes. Here, again, it was not our ally who sought the interview. It was the Austrian Gov-ernment."

No Overtures to America.

WASHINGTON, April 9.—Empha-tic denial that any overture looking to peace discussions have been made to the American Government by re-presentatives of the Central Powers was made at the State Department to-day. If any come forward, it is said, they will be ignored.

On numerous occasions unauthor-ized peace workers have hinted to officials that negotiations might be welcome to the enemy Governments and have suggested that they had reason to believe a basis for negoti-ations might be found easily. These suggestions have been given no con-sideration, it is stated.

Premier Clemenceau's repulse of Austria's advances will serve to force the adoption of other tactics by the enemy in the opinion of State De-partment officials and entente diplo-mats here, but will not entirely stop

# THE MARKETS

## TORONTO MARKETS.

TORONTO, April 9. — The Board of Trade quotations for yesterday are:

Manitoba Wheat (In Store, Fort William, Including 2½c Tax).

No. 1 northern, \$2.24½.  
No. 2 northern, \$2.24½.  
No. 3 northern, \$2.17½.  
No. 4 wheat, \$2.10½.

Manitoba Oats (In Store, Fort William).

No. 2 C.W., 86½c.  
No. 3 C.W., 82½c.  
Extra No. 1 feed, 91½c.  
No. 1 feed, 89½c.

American Corn (Track, Toronto).

No. 3 yellow—U. S. A. War Board pro-hibit importation.

Ontario Oats (According to Freight Out-side).

No. 2 white, 93c to 94c.  
No. 3 white, 92c to 93c.  
Ontario Wheat (Basis in Store, Montreal).

No. 2 winter, per car lot, \$3.22.

Peas (According to Freight Outside).

No. 2, \$3.60 to \$3.70.

Barley (According to Freight Outside).

Malting, \$1.72 to \$1.74.

Buckwheat (According to Freight Out-side).

Buckwheat, \$1.83 to \$1.85.

Rye (According to Freight Outside).

No. 2, \$2.60.

Manitoba Flour (Toronto).

War quality, \$11.10, new bags.

Ontario Flour (Prompt Shipment, New Bags).

War quality, \$10.70, Montreal; \$10.70, Toronto.

Millfeed (Car Lots, Delivered, Montreal Freight, Bags included).

Bran, per ton, \$38.40.

Shorts, per ton, \$40.40.

Hay (Track, Toronto).

No. 1, per ton, \$17 to \$18; mixed, \$14 to \$16.

Straw (Track, Toronto).

Car lots, per ton, \$8.50 to \$9.

Farmers' Market.

Fall wheat—Milling, \$2.14 per bushel.

Goose wheat—\$2.10 to \$2.12 per bushel.

Barley—Malting; \$1.60 to \$1.62 per bush.

Oats—88c to \$1 per bushel.

Buckwheat—\$1.85 per bushel.

Rye—According to sample, nominal.

Hay—Timothy, \$20 to \$23 per ton; mix-ed and clover, \$18 to \$20 per ton.

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET.

J. P. Bickell & Co. report the following prices on the Chicago Board of Trade:

|            | Open. | High. | Low.  | Close. | Prev. |
|------------|-------|-------|-------|--------|-------|
| Corn—      |       |       |       |        |       |
| May ....   | 127   | 127¼  | 126¾  | 127¼   | 126¾  |
| Oats—      |       |       |       |        |       |
| May ....   | 85¼   | 86¾   | 85¼   | 86¾    | 85¼   |
| April .... | 90    | 90¾   | 89¾   | 90¾    | 88¾   |
| Pork—      |       |       |       |        |       |
| May ....   |       |       |       |        | 47.90 |
| Lard—      |       |       |       |        |       |
| May ....   | 25.67 | 25.72 | 25.62 | 25.72  | 25.70 |
| July ....  | 26.00 | 26.17 | 26.00 | 26.10  | 26.05 |
| Ribs—      |       |       |       |        |       |
| May ....   | 24.15 | 24.27 | 24.12 | 24.20  | 24.20 |
| July ....  | 24.65 | 24.75 | 24.62 | 24.72  | 24.70 |

## LIVERPOOL MARKETS.

Liverpool, April 8.—Beef, extra India mess 37s.

Pork, prime mess, western, 330s.

Hams, short cut, 14 to 16 lbs., 137s.

Bacon, Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs., 172s.

Clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs., 160s.

Long clear middles, light, 28 to 34 lbs., 160s.

Long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs., 153s.

Short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs., 157s.

Shoulders, square, 11 to 13 lbs., 128s.

## CATTLE MARKETS

### UNION STOCK YARDS.

TORONTO, April 9.—There was a steady trade for butcher cows and bulls, but the market for lightweight butcher cattle was very dull, and approximately from 15c to 25c lower in many cases. Medium to poor cattle are very hard to sell, as was evidenced yesterday.

There is, however, a steady enquiry for breedy stockers and feeders, and more of this class of cattle would find ready sale at the market.

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#### Entitled to Prefix "Sir."

The Order of the British Empire instituted in June last. It fol- the precedents of other similar ers and consists of five classes, s awarded to both men and wo- for services rendered to the Em- at home or abroad. The first classes, in the case of men, y the honor of knighthood, and the case of women the privilege prefixing the title "Dame" to their ies. Sir Charles Gordon, of itreal, was the first Canadian to ve the Knighthood of the Order Empire in August last. The five ses of the order for men, with letters which the different mem- s are entitled to affix to their ies, are: Knights Grand Cross (K.), Knights Commanders (K.), Commanders (C.B.E.), Off- (O.B.E.), and Members (M.B.). The five classes for women are: nes Grand Cross (G.B.E.), Dames manders (C.B.E.), Officers (O.), and Members (M.B.E.). ir Frank Baillie, who has recent- eceived the Order, is president of Canadian Aeroplanes, Limited, a director of the Aviation De- tment of the Imperial Munitions rd. He was at one time private etary of the late Senator Cox, later was secretary of the Cen- Canada Loan and Savings Co., eral manager of the Metropolitan k and senior member of the stock erage firm of Baillie, Wood & ft. He organized the Canadian tridge Co. of Hamilton and ed the profits of \$758,248 to the pire for patriotic purposes.

#### The King's Cat.

London cat officially known as "king's cat," is the only one in the gdom to receive an allowance n the Treasury. He inhabits the ord Office and thirteen cents a k is spent for his meat.

#### The Exiled Czar.

The exiled Czar of Russia is a great st player. He formerly used more n 1,200 packs of cards a year at a pack.

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#### British Help Italians.

Italian Headquarters in Northern Italy, April 9.—(By the Associated Press.)—British forces are now fighting on the Italian mountain front in one of the Asiago sectors which sustained some of the enemy's heaviest pressure last fall.

The daily bulletin issued by Gen. Diaz, the Italian commander-in-chief, makes the first reference to the presence of British on the mountain line. It says that British patrols attacked enemy advanced posts at a number of points, destroyed the garrison of a small post and captured prisoners.

#### Relief Ship Sunk.

THE HAGUE, April 9.—The Belgian relief ship *Ministre de Smet de Naeyer* (2,712 tons) sank on Saturday in the North Sea. It is reported she struck a mine. Seventeen of those aboard were saved and twelve were drowned.

The Art Museum of Toronto at The Grange was formally opened by Sir Edmund Walker.

#### Catarrh Cannot Be Cured

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The French statesman's repudiation of Austria's claim that it was he who made overtures is regarded as a blow that will make the diplomatic drive of the Teutonic Foreign Offices comparatively harmless, but it is believed similar efforts will be continued in one way or another to create in the minds of the peoples at war with the Central Powers the impression that the blame for the war's continuance rests wholly on the allied Governments.

#### CANADA'S SLAVS LOYAL.

##### Naturalized Citizens Have Asked To Be Conscripted.

OTTAWA, April 9.—On Saturday, a delegation representing the Slav or Russian population who have emigrated from portions of the Austro-Hungarian Empire to Canada waited upon the Prime Minister and strongly affirmed their warm support of the allied cause and of their utter detestation of the purpose and methods of the Central Powers. They affirm that since the war broke out many of their immediate relatives and friends, resident within the Austrian Empire, have been persecuted, imprisoned and even murdered by reason of their well known sympathy with the allied cause.

The delegation also expressed the warm desire and hope that the Military Service Act might be applied to their men of military age and that these men, although born within the Austro-Hungarian empire, might be permitted to fight with other Canadians in the battle line. As one member of the delegation expressed it, they claim the privilege of fighting for the country of their adoption and they would feel humiliated if they had no part in the final victory, which must come to the allied cause.

The delegation was introduced by Mrs. Harry Larner Chapin, of New York, who has taken a warm interest in these people. Mrs. Chapin's husband enlisted in the American Air Service and is now a prisoner in Germany. The members of the delegation were: Rev. Archimandrite Adam Philippskovy, Victor P. Hadyk, T. A. Fuyarchsik.

#### Foodstuffs For the Allies.

WASHINGTON, April 9.—Foodstuffs shipped from the United States and Canada to the allies during March exceeded February shipments by 350,000 tons, the Food Administration announced last night. The month's total was 1,100,000 tons.

#### 250,000 Refugees Flee Before Huns.

LONDON, April 9.—More than 250,000 refugees from the regions taken from Russia by Germany are seeking safety from the German troops on the eastern frontier of the Ukraine. The Russian Government, according to a wireless statement issued Friday, has notified the German Government that since the conclusion of peace the situation has become intolerable and the refugees have concentrated on the frontiers of the provinces of Smolensk, Vitebsk and Mohilev. The Russian Government says it proposes to open the frontiers for these refugees until their definite fate is settled.

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#### CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, April 8.—Cattle—Receipts 25,000. Market strong. Beeves, \$10.25 to \$15.50; stockers and feeders, \$8.40 to \$12; cows and heifers, \$6.85 to \$13; calves, \$10.50 to \$16.

Hogs—Receipts 68,000. Market weak. Light, \$17 to \$17.55; mixed, \$16.80 to \$17.60; heavy, \$16 to \$17.35; rough, \$16 to \$16.30; pigs, \$12.75 to \$16.60; bulk of sales, \$17.10 to \$17.55.

Sheep—Receipts 14,000. Market firm. Sheep, \$13 to \$17.75; lambs, native, \$16 to \$21.

#### EAST BUFFALO LIVE STOCK.

East Buffalo, April 8.—Cattle—Receipts 3000. Strong; prime steers, \$14.50 to \$15; shipping steers, \$14 to \$14.25; butchers, \$10 to \$13.25; yearlings, \$11.75 to \$13.25; heifers, \$9.25 to \$12.25; cows, \$5 to \$12.50; bulls, \$7 to \$11; stockers and feeders, \$7.50 to \$10.75; fresh cows and springers, strong, \$65 to \$140.

Calves—Receipts, 3500. Slow. Hogs—Receipts, 12,500. Slow; heavy, \$18.25 to \$18.40; mixed, \$18.40 to \$18.50; Yorkers, \$18.50; light Yorkers, \$18 to \$18.25; pigs, \$18; roughs, \$16 to \$16.25; sows, \$13 to \$14.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 7000. Wool lambs, \$11 to \$20.75; yearlings, \$14.50 to \$15.50; clipped, \$13 to \$17.85; wethers, \$11.2 to \$14.50; ewes, \$7 to \$14; mixed sheep, \$13 to \$14.25 (all clipped stock).

#### Military Drop All Rioting Charges.

QUEBEC, April 9.—All charges of rioting have been dropped by the military authorities, except in the case of two men, Rochette and Miller, who were arrested Friday on a charge of participating in the rioting.

Three of those who were refused bail Friday were fined one dollar and costs for carrying a weapon.

Major Gregor Barclay, Judge Advocate, who represented the military authorities, did not insist upon the application of the order-in-Council, which allowed him to draft men caught near the scene of a riot. It is likely, however, that he will insist upon this course of action in all future cases.

#### Lady Lawyer's Ambition.

LONDON, April 9.—Miss Adelaide H. Grenside, B.A., of Toronto University, has joined the staff of Messrs. Munton, Morris, King & Co., London, with the object of being articulated to them as international law agents, to be supplemented by articles under the Solicitors Acts, if the profession is thrown open to women.

#### German Is Arrested.

AMSTERDAM, April 9.—The Lok Anzeiger (Berlin) says that Captain Beerfield, who was particularly concerned in the distribution of the memoir of Prince Lichnowsky, the former German Ambassador at London, has been placed under "preventive arrest."

#### Greeks Fight In Caucasus.

ATHENS, April 9.—Greek volunteers in Southeastern Russia are enlisting as troops in the Caucasus Republic, under Greek-born officers lately in the Russian army. A second division of Greeks is being formed there and fighting has already begun against the Turks.

#### Has Not Resigned.

OTTAWA, April 8.—An unqualified denial was given by Hon. C. J. Doherty, Minister of Justice, to the rumor that he had sent in his resignation as Minister of Justice.



# THAT ANCIENT COLONY

## NEWFOUNDLAND STILL PREFERENCES TO STAND ISOLATED.

This Portion of the British Overseas Dominions Would Be a Valuable Addition to Canada, But the Citizens Are Bitterly Opposed to Idea of Entering Confederation.

A MEMBER of the Newfoundland Cabinet is suing for libel because he has been accused of working for confederation with Canada. Not so very long ago Hon. T. P. McGrath, of Newfoundland, outlined to the Canadian Club of Toronto a number of reasons why the ancient colony was never likely to enter the Dominion. The case, which he made out, was apparently so complete that his hearers went away thinking that the thing they desired was unattainable. Yet the inclusion of the island as the tenth province of the Dominion has been thought by many to have entered the realm of practical politics. The war has removed mountains of difficulty. It has taught the Dominion and the island that their interests are identical and their future safety a matter of mutual concern.

There seems to be no sound reason why the legislatures and electors of the two countries should not ratify the consolidation of all British North America. Newfoundland may be described as the cork of the St. Lawrence. Stretching across the mouth of the Gulf of that name, it is separated by only 60 miles of water from Cape Breton, and by a narrower strip from the Labrador coast. Only six hours from Sydney by steamer it reaches out into the Atlantic to within 1,640 miles of the Irish coast. Many hundreds of miles nearer to Europe than any other portion of the Western Hemisphere, and blocking the front door of the Dominion, its strategic importance is readily appreciated. It is said that but for the strength of the British navy the German fleets would have established a naval base in the splendid land-locked harbor of St. John's, and destroyed Canadian commerce from this vantage point. The Krupp people got much of the iron ore for their guns from the Wabana mines, and long before the war they had important Newfoundland plans in their possession.

About 400 miles long by 300 broad, the island has an area of 46,000 square miles. Its traditions date back past the Cabots, who "discovered" it in 1497 for Henry VII. of England, to the Basque fishermen of the fourteenth century, and even to the Norsemen, who are said to have sailed down the North American coast in the tenth century. In 1713 the Treaty of Utrecht confirmed the British in their right of possession, the island became a province in 1728, and in 1832 secured its first legislature, which now consists of a House of Assembly of 36 members, elected on a manhood suffrage register, and a Legislative Council appointed by the Government of the day. By the Anglo-French convention of 1904 France renounced her exclusive fishing rights on the west shore, while the ancient fisheries dispute with the United States was largely settled by a reference to The Hague Tribunal in 1910. The cordial relations of Great Britain with France removed one obstacle to the island's progress and there is no doubt that

will recall the light, neat apartments, the colored waiters, the orchestra at dinner, the evening and the pleasant weekly "hop."

The visitor, the couple on a bridal tour, and the European tourist alike, to Niagara always came away, not only with pieces of cut stalactite, maple sugar, and strings of Indian beads, but with a sweet and lasting impression of the beauties of this fairyland of nature. A sublime sight were the rays of the moon on the water—painted by Gignoux in the famous Niagara by moonlight—and also the "Cave of the Winds" and the foamy cataract covering the greensward and falling on the rocks below. Residents never hear the cataract. The loss of the International recalls the following Niagara reminiscences:

1838, December 28.—The steamboat Caroline, the first boat ever built by Commodore Vanderbilt, seized by a party of insurgents, who crossed the river at night to Fort Schlosser, on the Canadian border, was set afire, and cut loose from her moorings, drifted out on the Niagara river, where people, rushing from their beds, ran to the banks to view the spectacle. Caught by the current, she soon entered the rapids, the illumination bringing Goat Island into view, and, slowing submerging, was carried over the Falls, breaking to pieces on the rocks.

1852—"The Hermit" lived alone in a small hut on Goat Island, and each evening, at sunset, would walk the length of a beam looking down over the water. One evening, losing his balance, he fell overboard and was drowned. His name and identity were always a mystery.

1853—A drowning accident occurred when a New York Methodist clergyman's wife, who, at the side of her husband, stood on the (American) corner, and, looking down, fell and was carried over the Falls.

1853—A sad accident occurred on Goat Island when a party from Buffalo visited the Falls. A gentleman, one of the party, lifting a little girl, named Avery, up in his arms on the ledge of the rocks, said playfully, "I will throw you in!" The child wriggle from his grasp into the water, when her companion sprang to her rescue into the rapids. Both were carried over the Falls.

1856, July 26.—The Clifton House, Niagara Falls, was the spot chosen for a duel between Col. Preston S. Brooks and Anson Burlingame, of Massachusetts, arising from a speech delivered by Mr. Burlingame in Congress. The challenge was sent, though the duel never took place.

1857—On the completion of the Suspension Bridge at Niagara, the engineer was the first to drive a buggy over the structure, while anxious crowds stood on the banks fearing his fate. This bridge has since carried daily many trains of cars.

1859—Monsieur Blondin walked over the water on stilts at the base of the falls, and also crossed the chasm to the Canadian side on a tight rope. Thousands lined the shores on both occasions.

1860—One of the Niagara trips was to don a waterproof and sail around the "Horseshoe" in the Maid of the Mist. The steamboat was finally taken by the pilot, engineer, and fireman, who had carefully studied the current, and all in the pilot house, passed, zigzag, safely, avoiding the rocks, down the lower rapids, each man receiving \$500 for the feat. The steamer then became an excursion boat at Lewiston, N.Y.

1864—The Peace Commissioners of the Confederate States, composed of Clement C. Clay, of Alabama; Jacob Thompson, of Mississippi; Prof. James P. Holcombe, of Virginia; George N. Sanders, of Ken-

# STORIES OF AIRMEN

## ANECDOTES TOLD BY AN AVIATOR FROM CANADA.

He Tells How a Democratic Fellow-Countryman Greeted King George During One of His Visits to France—Other Adventures of the Men at the Front.

HERE are some of the stories going the rounds among the airmen at the front who are fighting with the allies:

In the spring of last year, when the Fokker was doing its greatest damage among some of our slower machines. Lieut. A—— was out on a reconnaissance flight. Unfortunately he was unable to get back with his information as he got into a fight with two Fokkers and in his less speedy machine he was no match for the two of them. A bullet went through his gasoline tank so that he was forced to land. It happened that he got down into a German aerodrome. Naturally the first thing he attempted to do after getting out of his machine was to set it on fire, so that it could not be used by the enemy. He was in the act of carrying this into effect when a German officer appeared on the other side of the machine and in very good English remarked: "When you have finished with that foolishness you might come in and have lunch; your old machine is of no use to us!"

Last summer when King George visited the troops at the front he inspected among others a certain squadron of the flying service. During the inspection several officers had the honor of being presented to him. As he passed down the line accompanied by the officer who was making the introductions, the latter momentarily forgot a certain Canadian officer's name. This Canadian not wishing to have the King go by without knowing him, stretched out his hand to shake the King's and said: "Barnwolt, sir; glad to meet you, sir." Report sayeth not what the King's thoughts were. (It is only right to acknowledge that "Barnwolt" was not the officer's name.)

My friend, Lieut. G——, was just a youngster. He even looked younger than he was. I remember the day previous to his going over to France he explained to me that the reason his mother called him Reginald was because he was born in 1897, the year of Queen Victoria's jubilee, and Reginald was derived from Regina, Queen. He seemed so young to go.

However, he had not been at the front two days when he flew over the lines on his first raid. Unfortunately, something went wrong with his engine, so, as he knew he must be near Holland, he glided in that direction with the hope of being able to land there. Having got down safely and thinking he was in Holland he was just congratulating himself when he saw some soldiers in grey uniforms running toward him. It was not until then that he realized that the Dutch border was still one hundred yards away. He had no time to destroy his machine, as it is said he established a new record for the "100 yard dash." However, he got safely over, so is now interned in Holland.

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of a House of Assembly of 36 members, elected on a manhood suffrage register, and a Legislative Council appointed by the Government of the day. By the Anglo-French convention of 1904 France renounced her exclusive fishing rights on the west shore, while the ancient fisheries dispute with the United States was largely settled by a reference to The Hague Tribunal in 1910. The cordial relations of Great Britain with France removed one obstacle to the island's progress, and there is no doubt that as a province of the Dominion Newfoundland would have stronger backing than heretofore in any possible recrudescence of misunderstandings with the United States.

The inclusion of Newfoundland would add about 250,000 to the population of the Dominion. One-sixth of the inhabitants reside in the picturesque capital, St. John's, whose steep streets rise above a magnificent cliff-enclosed harbor, and smell unto heaven of fish, seal oil, and whale blubber. The wireless telegraph station on Signal Hill above the city is the nearest to Europe of all North American stations. A steam railway, 640 miles in length, crosses the island from Port aux Basques (opposite Sydney, Cape Breton) to St. John's and Placentia, and Glasgow-built steamers serve the extensive fishing population scattered in villages along the deeply-indented triangular coast line.

The Newfoundland cod fisheries are perhaps the richest in the world, the exports of fish and fish products amounting to nearly \$9,000,000 in 1911. The whale and seal industries yielded between \$500,000 per annum. Lord Northcliffe's paper mills \$2,250,000, agriculture \$2,500,000, the copper mines \$250,000, and the iron mines \$2,500,000, most of the ore being mined by the Dominion Iron & Coal Co., and the Nova Scotia Steel & Coal Co. For the year 1911 the total foreign trade was \$25,359,657, imports exceeding exports by nearly \$2,000,000. Of the imports, consisting largely of foodstuffs, textiles and hardware, Canada furnished \$4,667,000, the United Kingdom \$3,942,000, and the United States \$4,943,000. Fiscal union with Canada would throw most of this trade to this country. The colony's chief customers are the United Kingdom, Canada, Brazil, Portugal, Spain, Italy and the British West Indies. The Government revenue, in 1911, was \$3,527,000, offset by expenditures of \$3,354,000. The population is for the most part composed of 82,000 Roman Catholics, 78,000 Anglicans, and 68,000 Methodists, the other denominations being only slightly represented. The educational system is hampered by the fact that it is denominational and supported by state grants to the different religious bodies. Under the stimulus of the Canadian National policy the rich natural resources of the ancient colony could be rapidly developed. The island as a whole should benefit greatly as part and parcel of the powerful Canadian federation. The inclusion of Newfoundland would happily settle the long dispute over the Labrador boundary.

## OLD NIAGARA FALLS.

### Historic Happenings In the Great Popular Resort.

The following letter written the New York Evening Post by Samuel Barber is taken from the editorial page of that paper, and will interest those who know old Niagara Falls:

The destruction of the International Hotel at Niagara Falls revives many memories of a noted resort that—like the neighboring Cataract House, with rear piazza overlooking the water, and Clifton House, on the Canadian side, commanding a view of the Falls—is replete with associations, and well known to tourists, who

ally taken by the pilot, engineer, and fireman, who had carefully studied the current, and all in the pilot house, passed, zigzag, safely, avoiding the rocks, down the lower rapids, each man receiving \$500 for the feat. The steamer then became an excursion boat at Lewiston, N.Y.

1864—The Peace Commissioners of the Confederate States, composed of Clement C. Clay, of Alabama; Jacob Thompson, of Mississippi; Prof. James P. Holcombe, of Virginia; George N. Sanders, of Kentucky, proceeded to Canada to endeavor to negotiate terms of peace between the North and South. On July 20, Horace Greeley and Mr. Hay, Mr. Lincoln's private secretary, proceeded to Canada, and met Messrs. Clay and Holcombe at the Clifton House. No understanding, however, was reached.

1873—The old "Terrapin Tower," though deemed unsafe and closed for a long time, was destroyed by dynamite and a new tower was built.

1875—A man was closed in a barrel, with only an air-hole, and attempted to float through the lower rapids. Later he was found dead.

### Experienced.

When the very young offer suggestions to the aged they must be prepared to have their offerings received without much enthusiasm. Gen. H. C. Lowther, in his recent book, "From Pillar to Post," tells the following story, which is to the point:

One day Li Hung-Chang, the Chinese statesman, was discussing with a distinguished Canadian a question of local self-government.

"I wonder," said the Canadian, "why you have not adopted in China some system of decentralization and of delegation of power to municipal and local authorities—such as we have in the British Empire."

"We did try an analogous system," replied Li Hung-Chang. "It was—let me see—about seventeen hundred years before the Christian era. It did not prove to be entirely successful, and we have not since reverted thereto."

### Typewriting on Parchment.

It has been found that typewriting on parchment deeds is not durable. In deeds deposited within very recent years many lines are illegible and several lines have completely disappeared.

### Ninety-two Years a Widow.

Quite recently the world was surprised to hear of the death of the husband of Charlotte Bronte and shortly afterwards of the widow of Anthony Trollope. But although these survivals seem remarkable they are nothing out of the ordinary when one comes to investigate such matters.

The widowhood of the Countess of Desmond, who died lately, extended to seventy years, and even this does not top the record. Agnes Skinner, who died in 1499, at the age of 119, is said to have survived her husband ninety-two years. A much more recent and better authenticated case was the lengthy widowhood of Jean, Countess of Roxburgh, who died in 1753, at the age of ninety-six.

She had been a widow of seventy-one years, her husband, the third earl, having lost his life on the Gloucester frigate, wrecked in 1682.—Tit-Bits.

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Adjutant B——, of the French Air Service, got lost when on a flight over the enemy territory. He managed to get back safely over the lines, but could not be sure in what section of them he was when he saw our aerodrome. He decided to come down and make sure of his whereabouts. As he was about to land he noticed some Germans working on the aerodrome. Thinking that he must have been mistaken and that it was really a German aerodrome, he went through some marvelous evolutions at only 500 feet up in order to confuse any gunner who might fire at him. However after two or three minutes, when he did not hear any shots fired, he took another look and saw some machines with our distinguishing marks on the planes, which confirmed him in his original supposition, so he landed. The Germans were merely prisoners.

When going on long raids into the enemy country many of the pilots get dressed in their very best uniforms, etc., the reason being that in this branch of the airman's work an engine failure means being made prisoner, so that one wants his very best clothes since they may have to last a long time. Also some can be seen taking along a safety razor and brush, a comb, tooth brush, etc., and one chap I know always takes a manicure set!

### BACK FROM GERMANY.

#### Montreal Man Tells of Civilian Prisoners' Life.

Back on British soil after nearly three and a half years of German internment camp life, Mr. A. E. Schipfel of Montreal, was the only Canadian civilian among the lot of repatriated Britishers who arrived a few days ago at the little old Lincolnshire seaport of Boston on the shores of the North Sea. The Toronto Telegram's representative met him in London. Though born in Germany and of German parentage, the returned man has lived nearly all his life in Canada, of which he is a citizen. A wife and several boys eagerly awaited his return.

"We left Ruhleben Camp about 9 in the morning, after having been made to stand on the railway station platform for about two hours. It was bitterly cold and the train was absolutely unheated. My feet became numb with cold. I became quite ill on the journey. We reached the Dutch frontier about 10 that same night and there got into railway car-

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Of German "Pill Boxes"

By the British Fighters

**T**HE business of attacking the German "pillboxes" has been reduced almost to a mathe- matical science by the Brit- ish army. Pillboxes which are not "done in" by the big guns in the pre- liminary bombardment are rushed by the infantry and a grenade is dropped through one of the loopholes.

An attack on a little section of Ger- man line a few days ago illustrated the anti-pillbox technique. The attack was made under desperate weather conditions. A cold wind cut through the men's drenched clothing and heavy raindrops stung their numbed faces. The line of craters and shell holes which the advanced British troops held was thigh deep in water and mud, while sections of a hastily raised sandbag parapet kept slipping down as the sodden earth gave way.

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Who Visited Trenches

Says Germans Are Beaten

**A**N article by Horatio Bottom- ley, the well-known English editor, entitled "Somewhere in Hell," tells what life on the western front is really like ac- cording to the testimony of a soldier who has seen two years of it. This soldier, Pte. Frank Jarvis, of the First Canadian Mounted Rifles, sent the article to his brother in New York, with these remarks:

"Horatio, during his short visit to the front, has certainly made a very good and accurate summation of the conditions under which our boys have been fighting for three years. He portrays the scenes just about as they really are, and, as you know, I have been among this sort of stuff for just a little over two years and should be pretty well able to judge his accuracy on the subject."

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"Another thing I have learned—and learned very thoroughly—is that the one person to whom the sol- diers are apprehensive is the politi- cian. Throughout all ranks there is a deep-rooted idea that when any- many throws up the sponge the sol- diers will evince a tender solicitude for the welfare of the vanquished by agreeing to terms of peace which will deprive us of all for what we have fought and bled. I feel a duty to convey that message to the Prime Minister. I believe in the War Aims Committee, and I am already on the stump enlightening the people as to what we are fighting for. I have before observed that it was rather late in the day to inaugurate such a campaign, but if he will take my advice I would urge him, with all the force of which I am capable, to issue a manifesto declaring in plain words, 'understanding of the people' that we will have no official peace talks until our troops are in occupation of Berlin. Such a declaration would send an electric thrill throughout the trenches and would remove the only ugly feature I found there. Wherefore I pray that Lord Haldane—who

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There was no instant leaping from the trench. Men clambered clumsily up the slippery sides of the craters, falling on hands and knees in the mud. Here and there a soldier helped a falling comrade to regain his balance. Voices cursed, laughed, or complained. Non-commissioned officers urged on their sections, and the attack was launched. Right and left the ploughed and cratered surface of the barren earth seemed to disgorge men who moved slowly, some at wide intervals, some grouped together circling the edge of some quagmire.

Noises were confused and indistinct; enemy shells burst overhead, but their report was drowned by the thunder of the British barrage. Somewhere up-wind smoke bombs had been lighted and the wind carried down a protecting veil of mist and the acid scent of chemicals. An occasional man fell face downward in the mud; others, not so badly hit, rolled into the deceptive cover of water-filled craters to flounder there until stretcher-bearers could recover them. Unwounded men who had been engulfed in mudholes to the thighs appealed to comrades to pull them clear; but the wind bore their voices away and the ranks plodded on unheeding.

Gradually the men struggled up the crest of the rise, panting. Concrete pillbox gun emplacement bulged shattered and exposed among the craters.

One pillbox atop the crest was still in action. From its mound of earth came the familiar rat-tat-tat, and the air seemed full of the whiplash of bullets. Some one shouted and gesticulated. The men broke into a shambling run. A hand grenade burst in the mud a yard or two short of the embrasure; then like a pack of hounds men crowded forward to the quarry.

A section circled the rear and rifle firing broke out at close quarters. Bullets were aimed at the slits, and the bullets that went true ricocheted inside the pillbox in search of their targets. Suddenly a wild figure in khaki appeared gesticulating on the doomed concrete top, knelt and threw something through the embrasure. A moment and the narrow slit spouted flame. Smoke wreathed the group. Then all was quiet.

Three minutes later, two wounded British soldiers were keeping watch over the three remaining live members of the captured garrison. The wave of attack had passed on and the pillbox had fallen.

## Johnson Letters Sold.

The collection of autographs, letters and historical manuscripts, including a series of 200 letters from Dr. Johnson to Mrs. Thral, were recently sold. The highest single price was £76, paid for the finest and longest letter from Johnson to Mrs. Thral, dated 1773. Another realized £47. The letter to Mrs. Thral dealing with American affairs sold for £25.

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"I have seen the roads of France a mass of shell holes—roads which were once the wonder of the world.

"I have seen bridges and viaducts blown out of existence—except for, here and there, a few solitary piers.

"I have seen thousands of German prisoners for once earning an honest living by the sweat of their brow, and, afterward, being kept out of mischief in cage compounds.

"I have seen African and Indian laborers—and Chinese, too—helping to repair the ravages of the Hun.

"I have seen Naga tribes from Northern India chanting their weird songs, and even doing their wild war dances, in their rest hours on the battlefields where they were employed on salvage work.

"I have seen a thousand silent graves—hundreds of them inscribed simply 'A British Soldier'—on hill and mound—on roadside and in valley—where, not long ago, they who now rest there fought like mighty heroes for the right.

"I have seen the lads in the trenches.

"I have seen the places where towns and villages once stood—now no more than masses of bricks and mortar, and human remains.

"I have seen our guns playing upon the enemy lines.

"I have seen gallant airmen hurtling to destruction from the blue, and — heaven be praised! — I have seen the grinning and exultant Hun, as he came out of his trenches to gloat over their fate, mown down by our machine guns.

"I have seen the desolated towns and villages of France—every woman in black and not a man of military age anywhere.

"I have seen the German lines.

"I have seen and talked with German prisoners and German wounded.

"I have seen our wireless stations intercepting the messages of the enemy.

"I have seen wonderful women—many of them risking their lives—in every department of war work.

"I have seen lords and laborers, peers and peasants, fighting and falling, and resting in silent graves, side by side.

"I have been in the first-line trenches — within 200 yards of the enemy.

"I have been in the reserve lines—which is much more dangerous than the first.

"I have sat alone with Sir Douglas Haig and talked of the great work upon which he is engaged — and have learned many things.

"And now for what I have learned. We will have the truth from the trenches, at last. The war is won. Germany is beaten. On every front she is weakening and weakening—and it is now only a question of the psychological moment to strike. That momentous decision rests with one man—at least, I hope to God it does.

War Aims Committee, and already on the stump enlightening the people as to what we are fighting for. I have before observed that it is rather late in the day to inaugurate such a campaign, but if he will take my advice I would urge him, with all the force of which I am capable, to issue a manifesto declaring in plain words, 'understanding of the people' that we will have no official peace talks until our troops are in occupation of Berlin. Such a declaration would send an electric thrill throughout the trenches and would remove the only ugly feature I found there. Wherefore I pray that Lord Haldane, who some time ago made a sinister statement that, when peace comes to be discussed, he will be heard of again—and others of his ilk, may be told that their services are not required, and that Sir Douglas Haig may be assured that the work his men have begun, and are so gloriously performing, shall be finished to his personal satisfaction. There must be no new time!"

"Would that each of you could see as I have seen—could have heard as I have heard. One incident puts it in a nutshell. I was talking with a young university undergraduate. He had left his college because his King and country called him. 'Shall you go back after the war?' I asked. He smiled, and pointing to the scene around us—we were in the trenches—said, 'Go back? Isn't this a sufficient education for any man? I knew nothing before the war.'

"There you have it! Neither did I. But in one week I have had my education. I know all I want to know—of life and death; and those two words embrace all knowledge—and only knowledge is education."

## Gloating Over Halifax.

The catastrophe at Halifax on Dec. 6 drew the following comment from the Kolnische Zeitung, sometimes the inspired organ of the German Government:

"Not without emotion can one note the news of the devastation of the hard-hit Canadian town. And yet is it not better that these munitions should not have reached the theatre of war and the trenches, there to be used against our people in its hard struggle for freedom and independence—our people which did not seek the war, and also did not produce these munitions, which have now struck those who wanted to trouble us with them?"

"From the point of view of humanity the event is regrettable, but we hope that the effect will be salutary, since an irrefutable object lesson will thus bring the terrors of the war home to a place where people felt themselves comfortably secure, far as they are from the guns. Canada is getting war experience at the front and also at Halifax. We hope that its lesson may open the eyes of the warlike section of the people to the fact that humanity—even Canadian humanity—has higher ideals to defend than those represented by Wilson, Lloyd George and other business politicians."

London newspapers note that the Germans take a special interest in Halifax owing to the examination there of Germans repatriated from the United States. Dr. George Barthelme, the former Washington correspondent of the Kolnische Zeitung, who was deported by the American Government late in November, has just reached Copenhagen. After referring to the inspection of his party at Halifax, Dr. Barthelme remarked:

"At last we had the dangerous neighborhood behind us, and breathed again with relief; our fears have since been thoroughly well justified by the Halifax catastrophe."



## MINUTES OF RICHMOND COUNCIL.

Selby, April 1st, 1918.

The Council met at Selby.

The members present were: Messrs. R. Z. Bush, Reeve; and Councilmen W. J. Gollinger, I. G. Sexsmith, Merle Sills and A. C. McConnell.

The Reeve presided. The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed.

Moved by W. J. Gollinger, seconded by I. G. Sexsmith, that Smith Walker receive an order on the Treasurer for \$13.25, this being part of Richmonds share on the Richmond and Camden boundary road. Carried.

Moved by Merle Sills, seconded by A. C. McConnell, that Pat. Jordan be given an order on the Treasurer for \$10.00 for keeping side road open north of Catholic church during winter. Carried.

Moved by I. G. Sexsmith, seconded by W. J. Gollinger, that this council pay Robert Pringle \$3.00 for damage to fence and fixing the same. Carried.

Moved by A. C. McConnell, seconded by Merle Sills, that Leslie Davis be paid the sum of \$9.80, for snow shovelling from West Main South to Youngs' Corner, where there is no road beat. Carried.

Moved by I. G. Sexsmith, seconded by A. C. McConnell, that this council pay account with Spencer &amp; Rose, amounting to \$14.55, being payment for supplies furnished Richard Lloyd for 3 months, January, February and March. Carried.

Moved by I. G. Sexsmith, seconded by Merle Sills, that the By-Law passed on March 4th, appointing Asa Abbott as pathmaster for road div. No. 41, be repealed and that this council appoint Herbert Windover as pathmaster for said division for 1918. Carried.

Moved by A. C. McConnell, seconded by Merle Sills, that this council grant \$25.00 on Richmond and Camden boundary, providing Camden supplement the same in the 4th Concession. Carried.

Moved by W. J. Gollinger, seconded by Merle Sills, that this council pay to the Richmond Red Cross, the sum of \$50.00, and an order be given Ethel Fitzpatrick, Treasurer, and any person wishing work can receive by applying to Mrs. Henry Martin, secretary of the same. Carried.

Moved by I. G. Sexsmith, seconded by W. J. Gollinger, that this council pay Byron Stoney the sum of \$5.00, being Richmonds share for work done on boundary road in 4th Con. between Richmond and Camden. Carried.

Moved by A. C. McConnell, seconded by W. J. Gollinger, that the Treasurer be authorized to pay Manly Jones the sum of \$22.40, renewing insurance on Town Hall for three years. Carried.

Moved by I. G. Sexsmith, seconded by A. C. McConnell, that this council amend By-Law No. 643 reading to agree to supplement the sum of \$600.00 re government grant on roads in 1918, and that we change the above to read \$200.00 so as to comply with government contribution as received from C. H. Fullerton, Supt. Col. roads. Carried.

Moved by A. C. McConnell, seconded by I. G. Sexsmith, that whereas the county pays 25c. per rod for building standard wire fences along all county roads. That the township council pay the sum of 25c. bonus per rod also on all standard wire fences erected in place of wooden fences on township roads only. Carried.

Moved by W. J. Gollinger, seconded by A. C. McConnell, that the council pay to Mrs. Levi Doney \$5.00, as aid for the month of April. Carried.

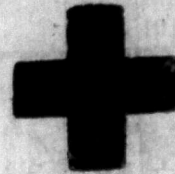
Moved by Merle Sills, seconded by A. C. McConnell, that reappointing H. A. Wood as our Treasurer at a salary of \$125.00 per annum, and that the reeve and councilors Sexsmith and Sills be a committee to look after the bonds of the Treasurer and By-Law No. 630 be amended according. Carried.

Moved by I. G. Sexsmith, seconded by A. C. McConnell, that this council appoint W. J. Gollinger to investigate the necessary repairs needed on township shed and that he be given authority to complete the same. Carried.

Moved and seconded that this council heartily approve the interest the Farmers of the Township of Richmond are taking in the extra food production campaign. Carried.

Moved by Merle Sills seconded by I. G. Sexsmith, whereas the Department of Highways have not decided on the route of the proposed Provincial Highways as it leaves the Village of Shannonville and runs easterly to the Town of Napanee, and whereas there are two routes under consideration, one known as the South road leading from the Village of Shannonville through the Town of Deseronto and then to Napanee; the other known as the North road leading from the Village of Shannonville through the Village of Marysville and then to Napanee, and whereas the North road is a shorter and more direct road, passing through a much more thickly settled part of the township serving a much larger number of ratepayers than the South road. Be it resolved that the Council of the Township of Richmond do petition the Department of Highways to favorably consider the adoption of the North road from the Village of Shannonville to the Town of Napanee, as the Provincial Highway, and that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Minister of Public Works. Carried.

The council adjourned to meet on the first Monday in May, at 10 o'clock, a.m.

JAMES McKITTRICK  
Township Clerk.

## The Red Cross Society

Patterson's Jubilee Singers will give a Concert in the Armouries on Thursday evening, April, 18th, in aid of our Society.

On Thursday of last week, through the kindness of Mr. Peter Pappas, his beautiful parlor was thrown open to the Woollen Committee, who entertained at Progressive Euchre. Eighteen tables were used in playing and the prizes (all of which were donated) were won by Mesdames G. C. T. Ward, W. J. Campbell, A. Holmes, and F. VandeBogart, while Mrs. C. Wilson won the Love Hand.

Mrs. Herrington, Convener, and the other members of the Committee, feel deeply indebted to Mr. Pappas for his kindness and to all who helped towards the success of the afternoon. It is a great satisfaction to know, that with the exception of a few cents, all the money contributed will go to the soldiers, the expenses being reduced to almost nothing, owing to no refreshments being served and the free use of the Parlor. The net proceeds amounted to \$47.00.

The Society acknowledges with thanks the following:—Miss Jessie Mair, \$5.00; Gretna Ladies' Aid, \$12.00; Mr. J. W. Metzler, \$5.00 and generous donations from Mrs. W. J. Dollar and the members of the Lennox and Addington Mutual Insurance Company.

Miss Elizabeth Vanluven has again give us a splendid sum of money, her reward from furnishing music at the Strand for a week. The kindness is greatly appreciated.

Mrs. Laughlin kindly sent to the hall on Saturday a basket of delicious cakes, which sold very quickly, and helped to increase our finances for the day.

Mrs. F. S. Wartman is giving a patriotic Euchre, at her home, on Monday evening at a quarter to eight. Proceeds in aid of the Prisoners-of-War Fund.

We have been fortunate in securing for May 29th, Miss Ada L. Ward, L.L.A., a brilliant lecturer. Miss Ward is a graduate of three Universities, an accomplished linguist and has extensively corresponded for English and Australian newspapers and periodicals.

Our work-meeting on Saturday was one of the most successful we have had, the hall being filled; and the collection certainly proved that all were in favor of doing away with refreshments. We invite our friends again on Saturday. The plate will be passed as usual.

Women's Patriotic Service  
and Red Cross Work

Through the "U. E. Loyalist" Chapter, I.O.D.E.

TREAT YOUR CORNS  
OFF WITH FINGER!

Tells how to loosen a tender corn or callus so it lifts out without pain.

You reckless men and women who are pestered with corns and who have at least once a week invited an awful death from lockjaw or blood poison are now told by a Cincinnati authority to use a drug called freezone, while the moment a few drops are applied to any corn or callus the soreness is relieved and soon the entire corn or callus, root and all, lifts off with the fingers.

Freezone dries the moment it is applied, and simply shrivels the corn or callus without inflaming or even irritating the surrounding tissue or skin. A small bottle of freezone will cost very little at any of the drug stores, but will positively rid one's feet of every hard soft corn or hardened callus. If your druggist hasn't any freezone he can get it at any wholesale drug house for you.

## SHOREY-WARNER WEDDING.

On Wednesday evening, March 27th the marriage took place very quietly at "Warnerheim," the home of the bride's mother at Colebrook, Mary, youngest daughter of Mr. Warner and of the late Coleman Warner, of that place, to Louis B. Shorey, son of the late R. B. Mr. Shorey, of Sydenham, and Mrs. Shorey, now of Napanee. The pretty bride wore a beautiful simple short wedding gown of pale mauve satin, with overdress of georgette crepe in the same shade, and carried a large bouquet of roses and lilies from the valley. The lovely tulle wedding veil, gemmed with pearls, which has been worn at the weddings of each of the bride's three sisters, was caught under a snug-fitting little cap of tulle and pearls, and fell in graceful folds forming a short train. The orange blossoms were the which held her mother's veil on the wedding day.

The bride was led to the altar by her brother-in-law, Stinson Mart of Ottawa, and little Miss Doris Anderson, of Napanee, her niece, and a sweetly efficient little flower girl and wore a frock of white georgette with pale blue satin sash. The large living-room, always a bower of greenery, was simply decorated with bouquets of tulips. Rev. Mr. Everson, Yarker, performed the ceremony after which a buffet luncheon was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Shorey left on midnight train for a short trip before going to their new home in Acton, where the bridegroom is manager of the Merchants' Bank. The bride wore a suit of navy blue gabardine with battleship grey fur.

Those present were the immediate relatives of the bridal couple and included: Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Holm, Mr. Stinson, O. Martin and Mrs. Warner, of Ottawa; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Anderson and daughter, Doris; Miss Hattie Wartman and Miss S. B. Shorey, Napanee, and the bride's mother and grandmother, of Colebrook.

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Marion Anderson and daughter, for Miss Hattie Wartman and Miss Sue Shorey, Napanee, and the bride mother and grandmother, of Co brooke.

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Oat seed should be changed every few years. It will pay any farmer whose oats are light in weight, thick in the hull, or lacking in yield to feed his own oats and buy some of these good Improved O.A.C. No. 72 Seed Oats. These oats will yield 60 to 70 bushels per acre under favorable conditions.

As the supply of seed oats is limited, farmers should get their orders in early. There is a great shortage of ensilage seed corn. A car load of seed corn similar to Wisconsin No. 7 has been purchased and will be sold to farmers at cost. The germination test in sand was 96% and between layers of blotting paper 90% with several more kernels showing signs of germination. This is extra good seed corn, as most of the seed corn this year will not test over 80%. Farmers wishing this corn at cost must order early, as the supply is limited to 1000 bushels.

Apply to

**G. B. CURRAN, Napanee.**

## Special 10 Days Sale

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| <b>Ladies' Rain Coats</b> —regular price from \$5 to \$10. Sale price from.....  | <b>\$3.00 to \$6.00</b> |
| <b>Ladies' Skirts</b> —from .....  | <b>\$1.50 up</b>        |
| <b>Ladies' Sateen Underskirts</b> —from.....                                     | <b>\$1.00 up</b>        |
| <b>Ladies' Silk Waists</b> —Regular price \$1.50....                             | <b>63c.</b>             |
| Sale price .....   |                         |
| <b>Ladies' Summer Vests</b> —from 30c. up to 50c                                 | <b>18c. up</b>          |
| Sale price from .....  |                         |
| <b>Ladies' Net Drawers</b> —Regular price 30c....                                | <b>29c.</b>             |
| Sale price.....  |                         |
| Over size <b>35c.</b>  |                         |
| <b>Ladies' All-over Aprons</b> —Regular price from 60c. to 75c. Sale price ..... | <b>49c.</b>             |

**M. MAKER, - Opposite Crown Bank**

**Don't forget about our Show**

## STRAND THEATRE

**Special Pictures every week.**

**M. MAKER, - Proprietor.**

Garden Seeds at WALLACE'S.  
A 25c. bottle of Colorite will make your old straw hat like new—all colors—25c. per bottle at WALLACE'S

**Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA**

Full line of Stationery, Writing Pads, Envelopes, Books, etc.  
**M. PIZARIELLO, Market Square.**

A tube of Revall's Catarrh Jelly quickly relieves colds in the head, catarrh and hay fever—25c. at WALLACE'S Drug Store Limited.  
Chase's Family Remedies for sale at WALLACE'S.



We beg to acknowledge with many sincere thanks the gift of \$2.00 towards our work from Mrs. Robert Asselstine, of Moscow.

The above Committee desire to convey their very appreciative thanks to Mrs. Green for making nine hospital night-shirts recently, and returning them beautifully laundered, through Mrs. Symington.

The local Belgian Relief Committee wish to express herewith their grateful thanks to the Ladies' Aid of the Methodist church at Hawke for a donation of \$5.05 towards the very necessary work for the unfortunates of Belgium.

A week or two ago in acknowledging the fine work accomplished by Mrs. Dickinson's class, the "Daughters of Dorcas" we regret an error was made in mentioning the completion of nine instead of eleven layettes for the Belgians.

Last week, on receipt of a formal notification from the secretary of the Women's Committee to the Ontario Committee of Resources and Greater Production, of the resolution passed at a recent meeting that: "All the organized societies in the town be asked to refrain from serving refreshments for at least a month, and then altogether, if found at all feasible." This matter was brought before the members of the above Chapter and Committee for their consideration, when it was determined to comply with the foregoing request, and assist the Conservation Campaign as far as possible.

The "U. E. Loyalist" Chapter I.O.D.E. is much indebted to the elder boys club of the Collegiate Institute for a most generous donation of \$20 towards our overseas work, being part of the proceeds derived from the very successful dance held in the town hall on Tuesday evening of Easter week, and we desire to express our very appreciative thanks for donation.

Early in the winter the Imperial Order, Daughters of the Empire initiated a Dominion-wide campaign in aid of the Navy League of Canada and the Empire. In co-operation with the National Executive the local Chapter of the Order later in the season took up the matter in this locality, being very kindly received by both the Town and County Councils from which bodies grants were made, also donations from two of the lodges in the town, and from other sources. In consequence of this initiation the Chapter has, to a certain extent, being responsible for the formation of a local Branch of the Navy League. We shall, a little later, be actively engaged in furthering the objects of the League, and we hope for the hearty co-operation of every citizen in the accomplishment of its most vital and urgent objects.

Do not forget, our work-room is open each Thursday afternoon where we hope for as large an attendance as ever, for though no tea will be served the work is still there to be done, the demands now being greater than ever before.

It may not be amiss to mention that one of the reasons for the interest, co-operation and activity of the Daughters of the Empire in the work of the Navy League is the fact that for many years the Order has been affiliated with the Navy League of England.

## INCUBATION

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The keynote to successful wing egg production is "Early hatching. It matters not whether the natural or the artificial method of incubation is used, the chicks must be hatched early, if the best results are to be obtained. If it is impossible to secure enough broody hens early in the season to hatch the number of chicks required, purchase an incubator.

In buying a machine, it should be borne in mind that at the most on three hatches can be taken off in the proper hatching period. The incubator, therefore, should be of sufficient capacity to produce at each hatch, least one-third the number of chicks required.

There are a lot of good incubators on the market. Do not be deluded into buying a machine just because it is low in price. The low-priced incubator is very often the most expensive in the end.

The incubator should be placed in a room that is fairly even in temperature, has a good solid floor, and it can be well ventilated without draughts.

In running any incubator, the manufacturer's general directions should be carefully followed as he is the one that should know best what his machine requires.

At the same time, a little variation in the handling will often greatly improve results. Climatic conditions sometimes alter requirements. A machine that does not require added moisture in one locality may in another. A relative humidity of between 50 and 60 inside the egg chamber gives the most satisfactory result if a machine is not giving these conditions. Moisture should be added. This may best be done by placing a tray of wet sand either under the tray or above it, depending on how the machine is heated.

In starting the machine, run it several days until it is perfectly regulated before putting in the eggs. Two kinds of thermometer most commonly used are the standing, which should register about 102, and the hanging, which is usually hung a should register 103. If the hatch is slow in coming off, raise the temperature in succeeding hatches a vice versa.

From the second day until the egg begins to pip, they should be turned twice a day. They should also be cooled, the length of time for cooling depending on climatic conditions and the temperature at which the machine is being run.

It is advisable to test the eggs twice during the hatch—once about the seventh day when the infertile eggs and "blood rings" should be moved and again about the fourth when all dead germs should be taken out. A little practice will soon teach just what it is safe to do and what to leave in.

As soon as the eggs begin to pip, which will usually be about the eighteenth day, close up the machine and leave it until the hatch is over. When the temperature rises a degree or two, don't get excited, as a rise is to be expected at this time and is a good sign. It is due to the heat generated by the chicks struggling to free themselves from shells. Wait until the hatching is over and the chicks have become thoroughly dried before opening the machine.

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Is how to loosen a tender corn or callus so it lifts out without pain.

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## TORONTO MAN HAS GAINED 20 POUNDS

Alexander Gange Says Tanlac Ended Troubles of Seven Years Standing.

"Getting one's health back, after suffering as long as I did, is some- thing to appreciate and I have re- commended Tanlac to several of the boys on the road since it put me back in shape," said Alexander J. Gange, who lives on Keele street, Toronto recently. Mr. Gange is a fireman on the Canadian Pacific rail- road and is well-known, especially in railroad circles. His statement while remarkable, is only one of many wonderful endorsements that have been given the "Premier Preparation" in Toronto.

"I'm feeling fine now," continued Mr. Gange, "and have picked up twenty pounds in weight, but I cer- tainly was in bad shape before I be- gan taking Tanlac. My stomach and kidneys had been bothering me for six or seven years. My appetite seemed to be all right but my stom- ach was all wrong and nothing I ate agreed with me. My food just seemed to lodge like a lump in my chest and fill me with pain. For several hours after every meal I could hardly get my breath. I had intense pain across my back and my kidneys bothered me so at night I could hardly get any rest. I tried most everything I knew of but kept getting worse. My back got to hurt- ing me so bad if I stooped over, I could hardly straighten back up.

"In fact, I had gotten to the place where I was almost disabled for work. One day an engineer friend of mine persuaded me to try Tanlac and that's where the long and rugged road began to smoothe out for me. My stomach trouble, and all signs of indigestion have disappeared entirely and what I eat does me good. All the pain has left my back and my kidneys never bother me any more. Tanlac has certainly fixed me up in great shape. I'm feeling better than I have in years and so I have the best of reasons for saying a good word for Tanlac."

Tanlac is sold in Napanee at WAL- LACE'S Drug Store, and in Camden East by R. J. OSTER.

## A BEAUTIFUL RUN.

Writer Describes Carisbrooke on the Isle of Wight.

"I do not think I shall ever see a ruin to surpass Carisbrooke Castle. The trench is overgrown with the smoothest turf, and the walls with ivy. The keep withinside is one bower of ivy; a colony of jackdaws has been there for many years. I dare say I have seen many a desren- dant of some old cawer who peeped through the bars at Charles I., when he was there in confinement."

After quoting these words from Keats, J. Redding Ware, in his book about the Isle of Wight, goes on:

"Carisbrooke possesses for the his- torian the great charm of being the last feudal stronghold in which a struggle took place between the de- clining power of the few and the ris- ing power of the many, for it was here that the rash, if brave, Charles Stuart threw his last stake, and lost."

"The existing architecture of the castle may be divided into three dis- tinct periods. The first is the

# The Gibbard Furniture Co'y.

[Limited.]

## SPECIAL SALE FOR TWO WEEKS

**PARLOR SUITES 10% OFF**—Many of these Suites cannot be purcased at selling prices to-day.

One special high grade Suite, **\$40** One Den Leather Suit, **\$26.50**  
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**DINERS**—We just received a fine line of extra fine oak Leather Dinners in quartered oak, golden and fumed finish.

**EXTENSION TABLES**—Our line of Extension Tables is complete.

**DINING ROOM SETTS**—Special prices on complete Dining Room Setts. We have a fine assortment.

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(Experimental Farms Note.)

ie keynote to successful winter  
production is "Early hatching",  
atters not whether the natural or  
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the chicks must be hatched  
y, if the best results are to be ob-  
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ere are a lot of good incubators  
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buying a machine just because it is  
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ie incubator should be placed in a  
n that is fairly even in tempera-  
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lights.

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may best be done by placing a  
of wet sand either under the egg  
or above it, depending on how  
machine is heated.

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al days until it is perfectly regu-  
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kinds of thermometer most com-  
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om the second day until the eggs  
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ing run.

is advisable to test the eggs  
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and "blood rings" should be re-  
ed and again about the fourteen-  
when all dead germs should be  
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h just what it is safe to take  
and what to leave in.

soon as the eggs begin to pip,  
h will usually be about the  
teenth day, close up the machine  
leave it until the hatch is over.  
a the temperature rises a degree  
two, don't get excited, as the  
is to be expected at this time,  
is a good sign. It is due to the  
generated by the chicks strugg-  
to free themselves from the  
is. Wait until the hatching is  
and the chicks have become  
oughly dried before opening the  
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ke, J. Reading Ware, in his book  
about the Isle of Wight, goes on:  
"Carisbrooke possesses for the his-  
torian the great charm of being the  
last feudal stronghold in which a  
struggle took place between the de-  
clining power of the few and the ris-  
ing power of the many, for it was  
here that the rash, if brave, Charles  
Stuart threw his last stake, and  
lost."

"The existing architecture of the  
castle may be divided into three dis-  
tinct periods. The first is Saxon,  
and includes part of the keep con-  
taining fragments which it has been  
demonstrated must be of twelve hun-  
dred years' antiquity. To this suc-  
ceeds the architecture of the Norman  
Conquest, about which time the area  
of the castle appears to have been  
much extended. The final period is  
referable to the reign of Elizabeth,  
when in anticipation of the inimical  
position Spain was evidently about  
to take up, all the latest advances in  
fortifications and defense were rapid-  
ly applied to this important strong-  
hold. These additions chiefly took  
the shape of outworks and of modifi-  
cations of the outer angles of the  
walls, and resulted in bringing the  
circumference of the fortress up to  
three-quarters of a mile; the whole  
inclosing an area of about twenty  
acres."

"The eye falls upon the most pic-  
turesque flight of steps, a mass of  
beautiful, broken lines—tree-bow  
and sunshine, that can be found even  
in an old English castle. This  
is the way to the keep, the vital  
point of the castle in the middle ages,  
when the beacon was lighted, and  
the look-out rigorously kept. The  
well is choked up, the terrace is  
bramble-grown, the roof fallen in,  
and yet it is only three hundred  
years since most of these turrets and  
lookouts were built. They are due  
to the dread of the Spanish Armada,  
and the genius of Genobelli, an Ital-  
ian engineer, who took for his model  
the fortifications of Antwerp, a city  
which had had much experience in  
fighting. The keep which is now so  
quiet, was alive with hundreds of  
willing workers while the panic last-  
ed. Elizabeth contributed four thou-  
sand pounds, the gentry of the island  
four hundred pounds—not a great  
sum, seeing what vital interest they  
had in the operations—and every  
man in the island gave his labor to  
it. The keep and castle have been  
invaded at last. The daws and the  
tourists have besieged it, and they  
held possession of the stronghold."

### British Women and the War.

Some idea of the huge and import-  
ant part British women are play-  
ing in the war Miss Helen Fraser, a Brit-  
ish war worker, who recently arrived  
in this country, is seeking to give to  
the American women who are an-  
xious to take up war work on a large  
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heretofore.

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ed by Miss Fraser:

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sand women on the land.

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Government offices.

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in France working at military bases.  
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## PEAS--THE STOCKMAN'S CROP

(Experimental Farms Note)

The high price at which peas have sold on the market for the last two years has given a decided impetus to their production. Canadian production in 1917 exceeded the previous year by nearly a million bushels. This is as it should be. The production of peas is lower than that of any of the cereals. Insect pests, diseases and the low price decreased the production of this important legume previous to the war, but since then, due to the rapidly rising price of the last three years, the acreage has been

greatly increased, especially in the provinces of Quebec, Saskatchewan and Alberta. When we consider the numerous ways in which one can utilize this crop either in the seed or on the vine it is surprising that pea growing has not received an even greater impetus than it did last season.

Split peas and whole peas especially in Canada occupy a prominent place in human diet in that delectable food pea soup. Pea meal is a very proteinaceous food excellent for use in a balanced ration for stockfeeding purposes, furnishing as it does a low priced concentrate. Considering the high price of concentrates, the farmer who has a crop of peas, that he can convert into pea meal, is doing much to free himself from danger of exploitation at the hands of feed dealers. Unthreshed peas are of great value for sheep feeding purposes, being an ideal winter roughage for breeding ewes while they are likewise an excellent feed for young cattle. They can also be successfully grown with oats and ensiled, furnishing where corn cannot be grown one of the most valuable silage foods, or again the same mixture can be cured as hay and fed with profit throughout the winter. As a summer pasture for hogs, they return profitable gains, an acre of peas forming a most valuable adjunct to the summer ration coming in at a time when the young shoats are able to make the best use of this kind of feed.

The successful culture of peas is largely a matter of climate. Being a legume instead of a cereal, they are classed among those crops known as soil improvers. While they do not do their best on light soils particularly during a period of dry weather, yet almost any heavy well drained soil that has not been robbed of its virgin fertility will produce a good crop. The best results are obtained by putting them on sod land which has been ploughed the previous autumn and thoroughly top-worked before seeding.

Peas cannot be sown as early as wheat or oats, owing to the tenderness of the young vines which a late spring frost is apt to damage seriously, also the cold and dampness of the seed bed may cause a rotting of the seed. It is impossible to give an exact date when it is desirable to start pea seeding, but this is a general rule that may be followed: If you have sown your wheat on the earliest date possible, the seeding of peas may be commenced from ten to fourteen days afterward. This rule might be modified in certain localities, depending entirely on the local weather conditions.

We would recommend farmers who are in extreme northern districts, and who are desirous of trying out peas, to start in a small way. As peas are subject to severe injury from frost both in the late spring and early autumn, it would be poor advice to recommend any farmer who is situated north of the 50th parallel in the eastern provinces, and north of the 53rd parallel in the prairie provinces, to sow a large acreage until he is certain that they will escape late spring and early fall frosts.

The many ways in which one can utilize a few acres of peas with profit, should tend to make this one of our most popular crops instead of occupying, as it does, a lower place than any of the Canadian cereals. There are no cultural difficulties to discourage the farmer while the chief insect pest, the weevil, can always be successfully controlled by the sulphide treatment.

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## WHERE ORCHARDS PAY

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### LABOR IS THE BIG PROBLEM

No Province or State in North America Has So Large an Area Suitable for Apple Growing as Has Ontario.

(Contributed by Ontario Department of Agriculture, Toronto.)

THIS QUESTION will be discussed under four heads: Climate, Soil, Labor and Transportation.

#### The Factor of Climate.

So far as climate is concerned apples can be grown commercially in any part of old Ontario, south of a line drawn from Parry Sound to Ottawa; in fact, there are commercial orchards producing fruit at a profit considerably further north than this. Many people think of commercial apple orchards as being necessarily confined to the milder parts of the province, and to the lake districts, but the fact is worth emphasizing that we have varieties of apples suitable for commercial culture in every county of old Ontario. The winter hardness of the many varieties grown throughout Ontario is now very well established, and it is possible to select varieties which will be hardy for any district.

The most serious climatic difficulty in the Province of Ontario is the occurrence of late frost in spring, and early frost in fall. Other difficulties of a climatic nature can be largely overcome by the selection of suitable varieties, or by careful discrimination with regard to soil, elevation, aspect, etc. It may be pointed out, however, that frosts are more common and more severe over large areas of flat country, than where the topography is rolling and hilly. Large areas of some of the southern counties of Ontario are, therefore, more or less unsuited to commercial apple orcharding because of their flat character. A more rolling country is much to be preferred, so that orchards can be made safer from frost by the better air drainage afforded.

The choice of varieties for various districts will be made the subject of later notes.

#### Suitable Soil in Every County.

So far as soils are concerned, it may be stated that there is an abundance of land in every county suitable for apple growing. Well drained land is essential for successful orcharding, and there is plenty of soil of this type to be had in almost every district.

Summing up Soil and Climate, it may be said that no province or state in North America has so large an area so favorable in soil and climate for apple growing as has the Province of Ontario. If this statement is true it becomes obvious that the present distribution of apple orchards in Ontario is dependent on other factors.

#### Most Profitable Near Cities.

Transportation is the most important factor having to do with the distribution of commercial apple orchards in Ontario. In other words, the commercial apple orchards are located within reach of transportation facilities, and the better facilities have been with relation to large cities and to the developing markets

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Aiding the Destroyers

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Two British seaplanes on marine patrol above the North sighted a submarine on the surface travelling at about fourteen knots. Two men were observed on the conning tower. Like a pair of kestrels, the seaplanes swooped to a height of 800 feet, and the leading machine dropped a bomb, burst on the starboard side of the submarine, half-way between stern and conning tower. The marine heeled slowly over to port remained in that position. The rose into the air as she stopped began to sink. The second seaplane then dropped her bomb, which in front of the conning tower as the submarine sank another was dropped by the first machine which had wheeled round and over the spot 15 seconds later, disposing of their quarry. Then circled round for a quarter of an hour searching for possible survivors. None were seen, however, and accordingly returned to make report.

On another occasion a seaplane patrol overheard a hostile wireless signal, apparently in close proximity shortly afterward a large submarine was sighted lying on the surface ahead. Flying at 80 miles an hour, the seaplane whizzed over the enemy and released a bomb. The submarine simultaneously fired a with his foremost gun, the bursting 50 feet in front of the plane. As the latter turned, the which he had dropped exploded, ing a great rent in the hull of the submarine. Flashes of flame then seen spurting from the ahead and through the mist. Most hostile submarines were in line abreast, reinforced by



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Some districts in Ontario possess excellent conditions of soil and climate, but are lacking in transportation facilities, and until facilities are available little development can take place in commercial orcharding.

#### Labor Situation Very Acute.

At the present time the labor situation is acute, and is rendered more so from the standpoint of the apple grower by virtue of the emphasis which, very correctly, is being placed upon the production of exportable food stuffs. The labor shortage will result in the majority of small orchards being more or less neglected. But the large commercial grower of apples has been in difficulty for years over the matter of labor supply. For commercial orchard operations on a sizable basis, it is necessary to be within reach of a temporary supply of labor for apple picking. Otherwise it becomes necessary to build dwellings for men and their families so that a supply of labor may be always available.

The difficulties of the labor situation at picking time can be lessened considerably by the planting of varieties which ripen in succession, and by taking care to get the right proportion of each. A large area of one variety ripening at one time is extremely difficult to handle. — Prof. J. W. Crow, Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph.

#### The Forehanded Beekeeper.

In March the careful beekeeper will find a great deal to do in the way of preparing next season's supplies. All used appliances should be put in the best of shape and necessary new ones secured and prepared before the busy spring season arrives. New supplies necessary should be ordered at once. The beekeeper's supers are his barns, his bees are his harvesters, and given barn-room they will harvest his crop with less risk of weather injury than farmers expect in almost any other crop. Without sufficient barn-room a percentage of the crop will be lost. Containers sufficient for the large crop that may be expected next season should also be ordered at this time. This applies particularly to present war-time conditions when supplies of material are uncertain.

#### Women Smoke in Wales.

A woman was seen smoking a pipe in a Swansea by-street the other day, and seemed to be enjoying it hugely. Of course, this is not quite a new thing. Some old ladies, especially of Irish extraction, have enjoyed their weed in that way for many years past. But it was the way in which this was done which surprised the public. As a matter of fact, in London some women have gone in for cigarettes and pipes in their homes, and in the women's clubs the rule that pipes are not permitted has been quietly rescinded in favor of the male visitors, who now smoke vigorously without complaint. — Cardiff Western Mail.

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Recent honors for the destruction of submarines rest by no means with the Navy—that Flies. The Navy's Floats has also a tale or two to tell.

A division of destroyers on patrol in the North Sea sighted a large submarine on the surface, about thirty miles distant. Telegraphs were once put to full speed, and couched for the enemy, who promptly dove. The speed at which the destroyers attacked, however, brought the leading boat over the submarine before the swirl of her dive had reached the water. An explosive charge was dropped over the spot. This detonated, and blew a large dark object to the surface, which promptly sank again. The next destroyer in the line then dropped her charges, which cleared the surface with small pieces of wreckage and oil.

On another occasion a force of destroyers acting in company with six light cruisers sighted at dawn a submarine on the horizon. This was watched carefully through glasses, and as the vessel pitched in the swell her bow and stern were visible and were cognized as those of a submarine. The destroyer which was the first to penetrate this disguise at once altered course toward the supposed enemy who was about seven miles distant. The sail promptly vanished and the conning tower of a submarine was seen as she dove. Five minutes later the submarine raised her periscope for a look-around, and submerged again in 10 seconds. It was long enough, however, to betray her whereabouts to the destroyer, which moved for the spot half a mile away, opened fire as she rushed toward the bow dipped and the stern arched showing a glimpse of the conning tower and the large vertical rudder. Midway between these two points the destroyer rammed, at a speed in region of 30 knots. The enemy's vertically, bubbling like a giant empty bottle, in over 100 fathom water.

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Two British seaplanes on submarine patrol above the North Sea, sighted a submarine on the surface travelling at about fourteen knots. Two men were observed on the conning tower. Like a pair of hunting kestrels, the seaplanes swooped down to a height of 800 feet, and the leading machine dropped a bomb, which burst on the starboard side of the submarine, half-way between the conning tower and the stern. The submarine heeled slowly over to port and remained in that position. The bow rose into the air as she stopped and began to sink. The second seaplane then dropped her bomb, which burst in front of the conning tower, and the submarine sank another bomb as dropped by the first machine, which had wheeled round and passed over the spot 15 seconds later, having disposed of their quarry. The two men circled round for a quarry of an hour searching for possible survivors. None were seen, however, and they accordingly returned to make their report.

On another occasion a seaplane on patrol overheard a hostile wireless signal, apparently in close proximity; shortly afterward a large submarine was sighted lying on the surface a mile ahead. Flying at 80 miles an hour, the seaplane whizzed over the enemy and released a bomb. The submarine simultaneously fired a round with his foremost gun, the shell striking 50 feet in front of the seaplane. As the latter turned, the bomb which he had dropped exploded, tearing a great rent in the hull of the submarine. Flashes of flame were seen spurting from the water ahead and through the mist three other hostile submarines were sighted in line abreast, reinforced by three battle destroyers and two seaplanes.

## VALUE OF JERUSALEM.

### What the British Gained by Taking Holy City.

What is the advantage gained by the British in the possession of Jerusalem? Strategically the same advantage which the possessors of Egypt have always found in the possession of Palestine. That land is a fortress by which to hold the Asiatic invader far away from the Egyptian frontier, and from which to threaten him with attack. True it is not easy of access from Egypt, nevertheless, given a strong, hostile power in Asia, Egypt has always found it necessary to hold Palestine in order to protect itself. Politically and morally the gain is enormous. The conquest of Jerusalem will find its echo not only among the twelve million Jews, orthodox and unorthodox, infidels and believers, who look to Jerusalem as their sacred city and who are rejoicing everywhere in every land in the hope that its reclamation from Turkish misrule and tyranny may mean a Jewish national revival. Jerusalem is a sacred city for many times twelve million Christians, and many times twelve million Moslems. Its conquest by the British will consolidate politically, by its moral influence, the British position in Egypt, enhance Britain's prestige with its Moslem subjects in India, as also that of her allies in Moslem Africa, and it will tend to range all the Arabic-speaking subjects of Turkey on her side. It will have a profound influence on the minds of countless Russian peasants who look to a pilgrimage to Jerusalem with certainty as great a longing as do the most pious Jews, and it may consequently prove helpful in the general attitude of Russia toward the allies.

It will touch profoundly also the religious sentiment of France and Italy and Spain and Austria, from which Roman Catholic pilgrims in thousands yearly visit Jerusalem as a pious act. The simple people in those countries cannot help but look with a certain favor on the Christian power which has redeemed the Holy City and the sacred sites from the infidel. What part pilgrimages to the Holy Land play in all those countries, those only can realize who have visited Palestine. Enormous sums of money have been invested in hospices and institutions of every sort for the entertainment of pilgrims. Schools, hospitals, and religious establishments, Russian, Italian, Spanish, French, Austrian, German, English, Armenian, and even Abyssinian dot the Holy Land, and cluster especially in and about Jerusalem.—American Review of Reviews.

### His Point of View.

This week's story from the front:

One of Gen. Allenby's advance patrols had ridden up a ridge in Palestine, and there, outspread before their eyes like a panorama, was the Holy City—Jerusalem.

It was some miles distant, but in the clear air the flat-roofed houses were plainly visible, broken here and there by domes and minarets.

Ejaculations expressive of surprised admiration broke from the lips of all the troopers—all but one man, who remained silent, his face, however, plainly expressing contemptuous disapproval.

"What do you think of it?" asked his officer, curious to learn the reason for his dissatisfaction.

"Awfu! scarce of chimbleys, sir," was the reply. "Awfu! scarce of chimbleys!"

"Chimneys! But, man, they don't need chimneys in Jerusalem. They burn charcoal."

"Oh, they do, do they? Then I wouldn't like to live there."

## Patriotism Appreciated.

Sweaters and scarfs which are distributed to our soldiers through official channels generally reach the men who need them. That is, they are distributed impartially, but when it comes to individual giving the popularity of the young hero alone governs the giving. And what a harvest of knitted apparel the young "lady-killers" are reaping. Take the case of one young Hamilton man attached to the artillery whose looks and personality ensured him any number of feminine admirers before the war. He is being exceedingly well taken care of. No less than seven khaki sweaters and seven scarfs have arrived for him at his home here, the product of the diligent labor of dear girls who want to be nice to him. In this case the knitted stuff serves a double purpose. The soldier himself can only wear one sweater and one scarf at a time; but pending the day when these are frayed out and the supplies must be requisitioned, a practical dad has been making use of them these zero mornings. "He will probably need them all after a while," confides pater to the office staff. "Meanwhile, I am merely seeing that the patriotic work of—'s young lady friends does not go to waste, when there is an opportunity for it to be a real use staying off pneumonia or influenza."

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Recent honors for the destruction of submarines rest by no means with the Navy-that-Flies. The Navy-that-Floats has also a tale or two to tell. A division of destroyers on patrol in the North Sea sighted a large submarine on the surface, about three miles distant. Telegraphs were at once put to full speed, and course altered for the enemy, who promptly fled. The speed at which the destroyers attacked, however, brought the leading boat over the submarine before the swirl of her dive had left the water. An explosive charge was dropped over the spot. This detonated, and blew a large dark object to the surface, which promptly sank again. The next destroyer in the line then dropped her charges, which covered the surface with small pieces of wreckage and oil.

On another occasion a force of destroyers acting in company with some light cruisers sighted at dawn a small ship on the horizon. This was watched carefully through glasses, and as the vessel pitched in the swell her bow and stern were visible and were recognized as those of a submarine. The destroyer which was the first to penetrate this disguise at once altered course toward the supposed enemy, who was about seven miles distant. The sail promptly vanished and the conning tower of a submarine was seen as she dived. Five minutes later the submarine raised her periscope for a look-around, and submerged again in 10 seconds. It was long enough, however, to betray her whereabouts to the destroyer, which made for the spot half a mile away, and opened fire as she rushed toward her. The bow dipped and the stern arose, showing a glimpse of the conning tower and the large vertical rudder. Midway between these two points the destroyer rammed, at a speed in the region of 30 knots. The enemy sank vertically, bubbling like a gigantic empty bottle, in over 100 fathoms of water.

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"Why not?"

"Well, sir, in civil life, you see, I am a chimney-sweep."

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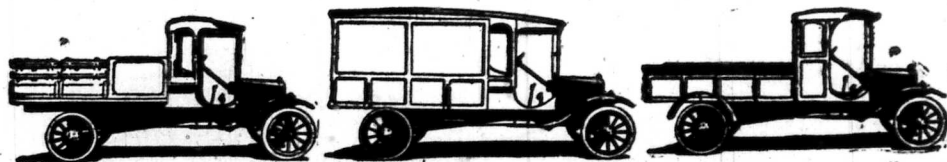
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"Dogs are always crazy 'bout me," they heard him say in his high voice—"dogs and children. I dunno why it is, but they always take to me. My name's George Crooper, 3d, Johnnie Watson's cousin. He was tryin' to intradooce me before the car came along, but he never got the chance. I guess as this shindig's for you, and I'm the only other guest from out o' town, we'll have to intradooce ourselves, the two guests of honor, as it were."

Miss Pratt laughed her silvery laugh, murmured politely and turned no freeing glance upon her neighbor. "Floppit look so toot an' tunning," she was heard to remark. "Floppit look so 'tittle on dray, big, 'normous man's lap."

Mr. Crooper laughed deprecatingly. "He does look kind of small compared with the good ole man that's got charge of him now. Well, I always was a good deal bigger than the fellas I went with. I dunno why it is, but I was always kind of quicker, too, as it were, and the strongest in any crowd I ever got with. I'm kind of muscle bound, I guess, but I don't let that interfere with my quickness any. Take me in an automobile, now—I got a racin' car at home—and I keep my head better than most people do, as it were. I can kind of handle myself better. I dunno why it is."

"My brains seem to work better than other people's; that's all it is. I don't mean that I got more sense or anything like that. It's just the way my brains work. They kind of put me at an advantage, as it were."

"Well, f'r instance, if I'd been livin' here in this town and joined in with the crowd to get up this party—well, it would of been done a good deal different. I won't say better, but different. That's always the way with me—if I go into anything, pretty soon I'm running the whole shebang. I dunno why it is. The other people might try to run it their way for awhile, but pretty soon you notice 'em step out of the way for good ole George. I dunno why it is."

"Well, if I'd been running this party I'd of had automobiles to go out in, not a trolley car, where you all got to sit together, and I'd of sent over home for my little racer, and I'd of taken you out in her myself. I'd like you to see that little car. Well, anyway, I bet you'd of seen something pretty different and a whole lot better if I'd of come over here to get up this party for you!"

"For us," Miss Pratt corrected him sunnily. "Bofe strangers—party for

oudly sniffing its scent, and finally he became interested in a ring she wore. removed it and tried unsuccessfully to place it upon one of his own fingers.

"I've worn lots o' girls' rings on my watch fob. I'd let 'em wear mine on a chain or something. I guess they like to do that with me," he said. "I dunno why it is."

At this subtle hint the three unfortunately held their breath and then lost it as the lovely girl acquiesced in the horrible exchange. As for William, life was of no more use to him. Out of the blue heaven of that bright morning's promise had fallen a pall, draping his soul in black and purple.

It was a long and accursed ride.

At the farmhouse where the party were to dine Miss Pratt with joy discovered a harmonium in the parlor, and, seating herself, with all the girls Floppit and Mr. George Crooper gathered around her, she played an accompaniment, while George in a thin tenor of detestable sweetness sang "I'm Falling In Love With Some One."

His performance was rapturously greeted, especially by the accompanist. "Oh, wunnerfulest Untle Georgiecumus!" she cried, for that was now the gentleman's name. "If Johnnie McCormack hear Untle Georgiecumus he go shoot unself dead—bang!" She looked round to where three figures hovered morosely in the rear. "Turn on, sin' chorus, Big Bruvva Josie-Joe. Johnny Jump-up an' Ickle Boy Baxter. All over adain, Untle Georgiecumus. Boys an' girls all sin' chorus. Tum-mence!"

And so the heartrending performance continued until it was stopped by Wal-



to faint murmurings and little heavings under impulses as ancient as young love itself. Alas, he considered his sufferings a new invention in the world.

William's final mood was one of beautiful resignation with a kick in it—that is, he nobly gave her up to George and added irresistibly that George was a big, fat lummo. William saw himself a sad, gentle old bachelor at the family fireside, sometimes making the sacrifice of his reputation so that she and the children might never know the truth about George, and he gave himself the solace of a fierce scene or two with George—"Remember, it is for them, not you—your thing!"

After this human little reaction he passed to a higher field of romance. He would die for George, and then she would bring the little boy she had named William to the lonely headstone. Suddenly William saw himself in his true and fitting character—Sydney Carton! He had lately read "A Tale of Two Cities," immediately re-reading until, as he would have said, he "knew it by heart." And even at the time he had seen resemblances between himself and the appealing figure of Carton. Now that the sympathy between them was perfected by Miss Pratt's preference for another, William decided to mount the scaffold in place of George Crooper.

The scene became actual to him, and, setting one foot upon a tin milk pail which some one had carelessly left beside the smokehouse, he lifted his eyes to the pitiless blue sky and unconsciously assumed the familiar attitude of Carton on the steps of the guillotine. He spoke aloud those great last words:

"It is a far, far better thing that I do than I have ever done. It is a far, far better rest that I go to!"

A whiskered head on the end of a long, corrugated red neck protruded from the smokehouse door.

"What say?" it inquired huskily.

"Nun-nothing!" stammered William.

Eyes above whiskers became fierce. "You take your feet off that milk bucket! Say, this here's a sanitary farm!"

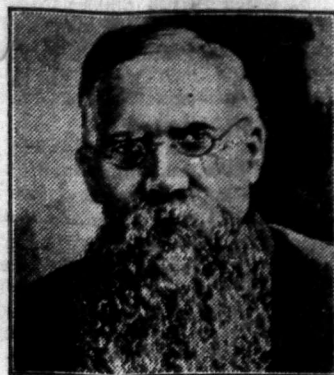
William abruptly departed. He found the party noisily established in the farmhouse at two long tables piled with bucolic viands. Johnnie Watson had kept a chair beside himself vacant for William. Johnnie was in no frame of mind to sit beside any "chattering girl," and he had protected himself by Joe Bullitt upon his right and the empty seat upon his left. William took it.

He began to eat; he continued to eat; he did well. So did his two comrades. They ate chicken, both white meat and dark, and livers; they ate corn on the cob and fried potatoes and green peas and string beans; they ate peach preserves and apricot preserves; they ate biscuits with grape jelly and biscuits with crabapple jelly; they ate apple sauce and apple butter and apple pie; they ate pickles, both cucumber pickles and pickled tomatoes, also pickled peppers and pickled onions; they ate lemon pie.

At that they were no rivals to George Crooper, who was a real eater. Love had not made his appetite ethereal today. George laid waste his section of the table. The pretty companion at his side at first gazed dumfounded; then, with growing enthusiasm for what promised to be a really magnificent performance, she began to utter little exclamations of wonder and ad-

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heart All Tobacco Cuban Cigaretts (the Package of Twenty For 10 Cent which still reposed, untouched, in the breast pocket of his coat. His eyes smarted a little as he recalled thoughts and hopes that had accompanied the purchase, but he thought "What would Sydney Carton do?"

William brought forth the package of My Little Sweetheart All Tobacco Cuban Cigarettes and placed it in the large hand of George Crooper. At this was a noble act, for William believed that George really wished smoke. "Here," he said, "take the 'They're all tobacco. I'm goin' to quit smokin', anyway." And, thinking the name, he added gently, with a significance lost upon all his hearers "I'm sure you ought to have 'em instead of me."

Then he went away and sat alone upon the fence.

"Light one! Light one!" cried Miss Pratt. "Ev'body mus' be happy, a dray, big, 'normous man tan't be happy 'less he have his all tobacatto smoot Light it! Light it!"

George bravely lit a Little Sweetheart. There must have been some valiant blood in him, for as he exhaled the smoke he covered a slight choking by exclaiming loudly: "That's good! That's the ole stuff! That's what was lookin' for!"

I'd of had automobiles to go out in, not a trolley car, where you all got to sit together, and I'd of sent over home for my little racer, and I'd of taken you out in her myself. I'd like you to see that little car. Well, anyway, I bet you'd of seen something pretty different and a whole lot better if I'd of come over here to get up this party for you!"

"For us," Miss Pratt corrected him sunnily. "Bofe strangers—party for us two—all bofe!" And she gave him one of her looks.

Mr. Crooper flushed with emotion. He was annexed. He became serious. "Say," he said, "that's a mighty smooth hat you got on." And he touched the fluffy rim of it with his forefinger. His fat shoulders leaned toward her yearningly.

"We'd cert'nly of had a lot better time sizzin' along in that little racer I got," he said. "I'd like to had you see how I handle that little car. Girls over home, they say they like to go out with me just to watch the way I handle her. They say it ain't so much just the ride, but more the way I handle that little car. I dunno why it is, but that's what they say.

"That's the way I do anything I make up my mind to tackle. Just lemme make up my mind once, and it's all off. I dunno why it is. There was a brakeman on the train got kind of fresh. He didn't know who I was. Well, I just put my hand on his shoulder and pushed him down in his seat like this." He set his hand upon Miss Pratt's shoulder. "I didn't want to hit him, because there was women and children in the car, so I just shoved my face up close to him, like this. 'I guess you don't know how much stock my father's got in this road,' I says. Did he wilt? Well, you ought of seen that brakeman when I got through tellin' him who I was!"

"Nassy ole brateman!" said Miss Pratt, with unflinching sympathy.

Mr. Crooper's fat hand, as if unconsciously, gave Miss Pratt's delicate shoulder a little pat in reluctant withdrawal. "Well, that's the way with me," he said. "Much as I been around this world, nobody ever tried to put anything over on me and got away with it. Say, that's a mighty smooth locket you got on the end o' that chain there." And, again stretching forth his hand in a proprietor-like way, he began to examine the locket.

Three hot hearts just behind pulsated hatred toward him, for Johnnie Watson had perceived his error, and his sentiments were now linked to those of Joe Bullitt and William.

They were not analytical and were impressed by what he said. They dumbly accepted George at his own rating, not even being able to charge him with lack of modesty. Did he not always accompany his testimonials to himself with his deprecating falsetto laugh and "I dunno why it is," an official disclaimer of merit, "as it were?" Here was a formidable candidate, indeed—a traveler, a man of the world, with brains better and quicker than other people's brains; an athlete, yet knightly—he would not destroy even a brakeman in the presence of women and children—and, finally, most enviable and deadly, the owner and operator of a "little racer!"

The overwhelming Crooper pursued his conquering way. He leaned more and more toward the magnetic girl. He played naively with Miss Pratt's locket and with the flimsy border of her collar. He flicked his nose for some time with her little handkerchief,



George Sang, "I'm Falling In Love With Some One."

lace Banks, the altruistic and perspiring youth who had charge of the subscription list for the party and the consequent collection of assessments. This entitled Wallace to look haggard and to act as master of ceremonies. He mounted a chair.

"Ladies and gentlemen," he bellowed, "I want to say—that is—ah—I am requested to announce that before dinner we're all supposed to take a walk around the farm and look at things, as this is supposed to be kind of a model farm. There's a Swedish lady named Anna going to show us around. She's out in the yard waiting, so please follow her to inspect the farm."

### CHAPTER XIII.

Sydney Carton.

WILLIAM wished only to die in some quiet spot and to have Miss Pratt told about it in words that would show her what she had thrown away, but he followed the others in the wake of the Swedish lady named Anna, and as they stood in the cavernous hollow of the great barn he found his condition suddenly improved.

Miss Pratt turned to him unexpectedly and placed Flopit in his arms. "Keep p'eshus Flopit cozy," she whispered. "Flopit love ole friends best."

William's heart leaped, while a joyous warmth spread all over him, and, though the execrable lummock immediately propelled Miss Pratt forward, by her elbow, to hear the descriptive remarks of the Swedish lady named Anna, William's soul remained uplifted and entranced. She had not said "like," she had said, "Flopit love ole friends best!" William pressed forward valiantly and placed himself as close as possible upon the right of Miss Pratt, the lummock being upon her left.

When the party came out of the barn William beheld Miss Pratt, not walking at his side, but, on the contrary, sitting too cozily with George Crooper upon a fallen tree at the edge of a peach orchard just beyond the barnyard. It was Miss Parcher who had been walking beside him, for the truant couple had made their escape early in the Swedish lady's discourse regarding the farm and the various animals.

In vain William murmured to himself, "Flopit love ole friends best." Purple and black again descended upon his soul, for he could not disguise from himself the damnnatory fact that George had flitted with the lady while he, wretched William, had been permitted to take care of the dog! He strode to the barnyard fence and dropped Flopit rather brusquely at his mistress's feet. Then, without a word, even without a look, William walked haughtily away.

In the shade of a great walnut tree he gave way, not to tears certainly, but

and picked potatoes, also picked peppers and pickled onions; they ate lemon pie.

At that they were no rivals to George Crooper, who was a real eater. Love had not made his appetite ethereal today. George laid waste his section of the table. The pretty companion at his side at first gazed dumfounded; then, with growing enthusiasm for what promised to be a really magnificent performance, she began to utter little ejaculations of wonder and admiration. With this music in his ears George outdid himself.

When George did stop it was abruptly, and he and Miss Pratt came out of the house together rather quietly, joining one of the groups of young people chatting with after dinner languor under the trees. However, Mr. Crooper began to revive presently in the sweet air of outdoors, and, observing some of the more dashing gentlemen lighting cigarettes, he was moved to laughter. He had not smoked since his childhood, having then been bonded through to twenty-one with a pledge of gold, and he feared that these smoking youths might feel themselves superior. Worse, Miss Pratt might be impressed; therefore he laughed in scorn, saying: "Burnin' up ole trash around here, I expect." He sniffed searchingly. "Somebody's set some ole rags on fire." Then, as in discovery, he cried, "Oh, no; only cigarettes!"

Miss Pratt, that tactful girl, counted four smokers in the group about her and only one abstainer, George. She at once defended the smokers, for it is to be feared that numbers always had weight with her. "Oh, but cigarettes is lubly smell!" she said. "Untle Georgecums maybe be too 'tittle boy for smokings!"

"Me? I don't smoke paper and ole carpets. I smoke cigars!"

He had created the right impression, for Miss Pratt clapped her hands. "Oh, 'plendid! Light one, Untle Georgecums! Light one ever 'n ever so quick! P'eshus Flopit an' me we want see dray, big, 'normous man smoke dray, big, 'normous cigar!"

William and Johnnie Watson, who had been hovering morbidly, unable to resist the lodestone, came nearer, Johnnie being just in time to hear his cousin's reply.

"I—I forgot my cigar case."

Johnnie's expression became one of biting skepticism. "What you talkin' about, George? Didn't you promise Untle George you'd never smoke till you're of age, and Untle George said he'd give you a thousand dollars on your twenty-first birthday? What'd you say about your 'cigar case?"

George felt that he was in a tight place, and the lovely eyes of Miss Pratt turned upon him questioningly. He could not flush, for he was already so pink after his exploits with unnecessary nutriment that more pinkness was impossible. He saw that the only safety for him lay in boisterous prevarication. "A thousand dollars!" he laughed loudly. "I thought that was real money when I was ten years old. It didn't stand in my way very long. I guess! Good ole George wanted his smoke, and he went after it! You know how I am, Johnnie, when I go after anything. I been smokin' cigars I dunno how long! When I smoke I smoke! I smoke cigars straight along—light one right on the stub of the other. I don't want any paper. I want something that's all tobacco!"

William's pale, sad face showed a hint of color. With a pang he remembered the package of My Little Sweet-

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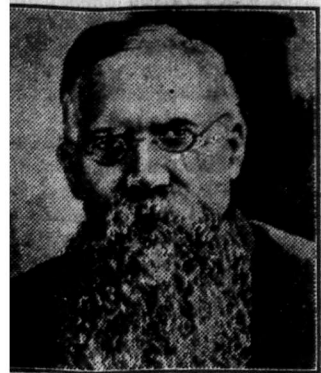
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At All Tobacco Cuban Cigarettes (a Package of Twenty For 10 Cents), which still reposed, untouched, in the last pocket of his coat. His eyes started a little as he recalled the thoughts and hopes that had accompanied the purchase, but he thought, "What would Sydney Carton do?" William brought forth the package My Little Sweetheart All Tobacco Cigarettes and placed it in the safe hand of George Crooper. And as was a noble act, for William believed that George really wished to smoke. "Here," he said, "take these. They're all tobacco. I'm goin' to quit 'em, anyway." And, thinking of the name, he added gently, with a significance lost upon all his hearers, "I'm sure you ought to have 'em in mind of me."

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## CHAPTER XIV. Foreshadowings.

NOW William saw that his Little Sweethearts had been an inspired purchase, after all. They had delivered the final tap upon a tottering edifice. George's deeds, at dinner had unsettled, but Little Sweethearts had overthrown, and now there was awful work among the ruins, to an ironical accompaniment of music from the front yard.

This accompaniment came to a stop, and Johnnie Watson jumped. He seized each of his companions by a sleeve and spoke eagerly, his eyes glowing. "Here!" he cried. "We better get around there. This looks like it was goin' to last all afternoon."

"Joe, you get the next dance with her, and just about time the music slows up you dance her around so you can stop right near where Bill will be standin', so Bill can get her quick for the dance after that. Then, Bill, you do the same for me, and I'll do the same for Joe again, and then, Joe, you do it for Bill again, and then Bill for me, and so on. If we go in right now and work together we can crowd the rest out. Come on quick!"

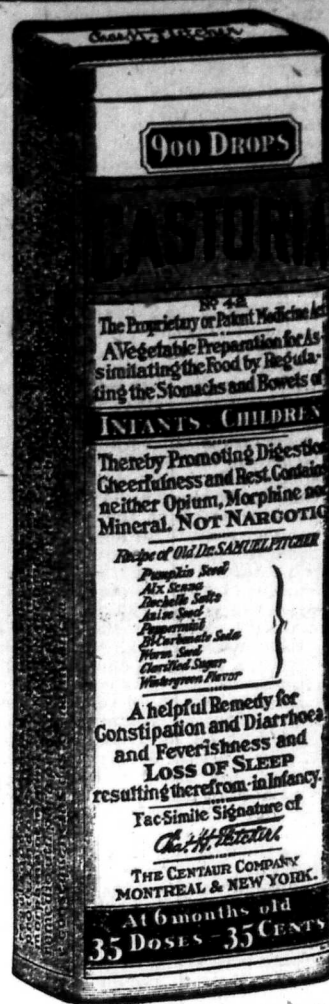
The three ran lightly to the dancing lawn, and Mr. Bullitt was successful in obtaining the next dance with the lovely guest of the day. "I did promise big Untie Georgiecum's," she said.

"Well, I don't think he'll come," said Joe—"that is, I'm pretty sure he won't."

A shade fell upon the exquisite face. "No'ty, Bruvva Josie-Joe! The Men always tum when Lola promises dances. Mustn't be rude!"

"Well"—Joe began, when he was interrupted by the Swedish lady named Anna, who spoke to them from the steps of the house. Of the merry-makers they were the nearest.

"Dot pick fella," said Anna, "dot one dot eats—we make him in a petroom."



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William and Johnnie stood with hands upon each other's shoulders and watched, mayhap with longing, but without spite. Then Johnnie danced with her while Joe and William watched, and then William danced with her again.

So passed the long, ineffable afternoon away—ah, seventeen!

"Jav a good time at the trolley party?" the clerk in the corner drug store inquired that evening.

"Fine!" said William, taking his overcoat from the hook where he had left it.

"How j' like them Little Sweethearts I sold you?"

"Fine!" said William.

The haloed summer still idled on its way, yet all the while sped quickly, like some languid lady in an elevator. There came a Sunday, very hot. Mr. and Mrs. Baxter, having walked a scorched half mile from church, drooped thankfully into wicker chairs upon their front porch, though Jane, who had accompanied them, immediately darted away, skipping as lithely as if she had just come forth upon a cool morning. Eagerly she sought Genesis, who was turning an ice cream freezer.

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dressin' high might's well start top!" "What made you decide to start, Genesis?" Jane asked earnestly.

"Well, sub, 'tall come 'bout right like kine o' slidin' into it 'stid o' hoppin' an' jumpin'. I's spen' 'tall even' at 'at lady's house, Fanny, what cook nex' do' las' year. Well, sub, 'at lady Fanny she quit privut cookin'—she kayteriss!"

"She's what?" Jane asked. "What's that mean, Genesis—kayteriss?"

"She kaytubs," he explained. "Ef it's a man you call him kaytuhub; ef it's a lady she's a kayteriss. She does kaytunun for all lem blue vein families in town. She make refeshmuns, bring waitubs—'at's kaytunun. You maw give big dinnuh, she have Fanny kaytuh an' don't take no trouble 'tall herself. Fanny take all 'at trouble."

"I see," said Jane. "But I don't see how her bein' a kayteriss started you to dressin' so high, Genesis."

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"Does he want a doctor?" Joe asked. "Doctor? No! He want make him in a amyoulance for hospital!"

"I'll go look at him," Johnnie Watson volunteered, running up. "He's my cousin, and I guess I got to take the responsibility."

Miss Pratt paid the invalid the tribute of one faintly commiserating glance toward the house. "Well," she said, "if people would rather eat too much than dance!" She meant "dance with me!" though she thought it prettier not to say so. "Come on, Bruvva Josie-Joe!" she cried joyously.

And a little later Johnnie Watson approached her where she stood with a restored and refulgent William, about to begin the succeeding dance. Johnnie dropped into her hand a ring, receiving one in return. "I thought I better get it," he said, offering no further explanation. "I'll take care of his until we get home. He's all right," said Johnnie, and, then perceiving a sudden advent of apprehension upon the sensitive brow of William, he went on reassuringly:

"He's doin' as well as anybody could expect—that is, after the crazy way he did. He's always been considered the dumbest one in all our relations—never did know how to act."

"You don't think there's any"—William began and, after a pause, continued—"any hope—of his getting strong enough to come out and dance after while?"

Johnnie shook his head. "None in the world!" he said conclusively.

Over the greensward William lightly bore his lady, while radiant was the cleared sky above the happy dancers.

His feet moved in a rhapsody of companionship with hers. They danced and danced and danced.

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"My soul!" said William's father. "Hasn't that girl gone home yet?"

"I think she is going soon," said Mrs. Baxter. "The Parchers are to have a dance for her Friday night, and I understand there's to be a floor laid in the yard and great things. It's a fare-well party."

"That's one mercy, anyhow!"

Genesis turned the handle of the freezer with his left hand, allowing his right the freedom of gesture which was an intermittent necessity when he talked. In the matter of dress, Genesis had always been among the most informal of his race, but today there

was a change almost unnerving to the Caucasian eye. He wore a balloonist suit of purple, strangely scalloped at pocket and cuff and more strangely decorated with lines of small parasite buttons, in color blue, obviously buttons of leisure; also a white, soiled evening tie heavily overburdened by a green glass medallion of the Emperor Tiberius, set in brass.

"Yes'm," said Genesis, "now I'm in 'at swim-flyin' roun' ev'ry night wif all lem blue vein people—I say: 'Mus' go buy me some blue vein clo'es! Ef I'm go'n' a start might's well start high! So firs' I buy me this here gol' necktie pin w' this here lady's face carved out o' green di'mon, sittin' in the middle all 'at gol'. 'Nen I buy me pair Royal King shoes. I got a frien' o' mine, this here Blooie Bowers. He say Royal King shoes same kine o' shoes he wear, an' I walk straight in 'at sto' where they keep 'em at. 'Don' was'e my time showin' me no ole time shoes,' I say.

"Run out some them big, yella, jump toed Royal Kings befo' my eyes, an' firs' pair fit me I pay price an' wear 'em right off on me! 'Nen I got me this here suit o' clo'es—oh, oh! Sign on 'em in window, 'Ef you wish to be bes' dress' man in town take me home fer six dolluhs ninety-sevum cents.' 'At's kine o' suit Genesis need,' I say. 'Ef Genesis go'n' a start

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(To be Continued.)

### "The Price We Pay."

According to the latest official figures issued by the Department of Militia the total number of officers, n.c.o.'s and men with the Canadian forces who have been wounded since the war began is 102,726. No fewer than 25,138 Canadians have been killed in action and 8,410 succumbed to wounds received in action. There is comparatively little disease among the Canadian troops, as evidenced by the fact that only 1,703 Canadian soldiers have died from disease during the present campaign. Ottawa advises that 3,575 members of the Canadian forces have been officially presumed dead.

### English Use Tractors.

The food production department of London reports that the tractor has justified itself, and the farming community may be said to have been completely converted, for the demand for tractors to-day bids fair to exceed the full complement ordered by the department. The figures collected from a wide range of counties are, in fact, overwhelming; thus, in West Surrey, one tractor ploughed thirty-six acres in six days, and in Wiltshire the tractors averaged eighteen acres in a week; in Dorset, thirteen acres. Similar results are quoted from the districts of the agricultural county of Lincolnshire.—London Globe.

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Silhouette to Be Slim as a Planked Shad, Except That It Will Go in Sharply Toward Ankles—No Flare Is Permitted.

New York.—The persistence shown by France in the dressmaking houses in continuing a certain trick for several years, deserves more attention than is usually accredited it, writes Aime Rittenhouse.

A study of the obstinate way in which Paris designers have held on to a thing they liked might go far toward convincing a vast number of the critics of women's apparel that fashions are not as flighty as they seem. The weather vane turns, it is true, but it swirls back into the same quarter so frequently that at times there is a feeling that it changes little.

The American shops, it is claimed, constantly convince their patrons that an old gown must be replaced by a new one by showing a revolution in silhouette.

We have millions of women to dress, where France has thousands, and we have a population that is quite capable of indulging in its desire for new clothes from the rim of the arctic circle to a line above the tropics.

It is a well-known fact that the American buyers who go to Paris to get new clothes often refuse lovely gowns if they bear a close kinship to those that were sold the year before. They wave such frocks away with the remark that American women must have novelty.

This act has always depressed the designers in Paris, who care for beauty and detail rather than for startling changes, and it is the French designers who say that they rack their brains for eccentricities to give to America far more than they would if their clientele were only Rome, Paris and London.

It is this underlying trait in the French dressmakers that gives them the desire to persist in a certain line—which is coming back to the original discussion.

**Now the Zouave Skirt.**

This line happens to be, at the present moment, that tucked-in effect at the hem of the skirt, which is suggestive of the trousers, of the Algerian troops.

Nobody would remember, probably, the exact date of the beginning of this idea, but it was evolved long before the war. It has been brought out in various kinds of skirts.

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and blue taffeta skirts that were tucked up at the hem and caught here and there with a formal little bouquet of roses. How stale a stupid Parisian was the commode! Can't she ever get it into her head that America does not want a loose, overfull skirt with its ungainly line about the ankles? Delicacies and young girls continued to dance in this kind of skirt where the fiddles sounded, but women more mature years dismissed it as a fashion from the start.

Now, here it is again, not only here but very much accentuated and



This dinner frock is of black taffeta and the sturdy black silk tulle which is embroidered in a rose design in colored silks. The skirt is made of tulle.

**Col****KILL OUT CANADIAN THISTLE**

Weeds Are Difficult to Eradicate, as They Have Underground Stems—Mow and Plow.

Canadian thistle and sow thistle are hard to kill, as they have underground stems from which new plants are sent up. A piece of this stem if cut off and given the right conditions will form a new plant. The first step in the eradication



Canada Thistle.

is to mow the plants, then plow them under and disk the land as often as new shoots appear. Keeping the top from growing will in time kill the roots and underground stems. Growing a crop of corn in hills and cultivating

**ATTENTION GIVEN TO TOOLS**

But One Plow Out of Four Ever Wears Out, the Other Three Rust Out—How About Yours?

How about the farm tools you used this last season? Are they all in the shed protected from the weather? Have the polished parts been covered with grease so they won't rust? If not wouldn't this coming week be a good time to round them up and put them away? A neighbor told me Sunday that he used the same gang plow for 14 years, says a writer in an exchange. He had it in the shed when not in use. This kind of care relieves him from worrying about the high cost of steel tools for next year as none of his tools are rusting out. One plow out of four wears out—the other three rust out. Is yours the one?

**EXPENSE OF TRACTOR WORK**

Oil, Gas and Wages \$1.60 an Acre in Trial Conducted Recently at Iowa State College.

One acre of ground can be tractor plowed 6 inches deep on 2½ gallons of kerosene and one-eighth gallon of lubricating oil.

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### MOST EFFECTIVE ROAD TOOL

**Drag Can Be Used in Maintaining Public Highways—They Are Easily and Cheaply Made.**

The most effective tool which can be used in the maintenance of earth roads is the road drag. The first drags were made more than 50 years ago, but it is only during the last few years that they have come into general use. They are easily and cheaply made, easily operated and accomplish wonders if properly used. Every mile of earth road in the state of Texas should be maintained with a drag, and if the time and money wasted under the present system of "working the roads" (this does not mean that all time and money so spent are wasted) were used in dragging the roads, our states would have some of the best earth roads in America.

### USE SWEET CLOVER FOR PIGS

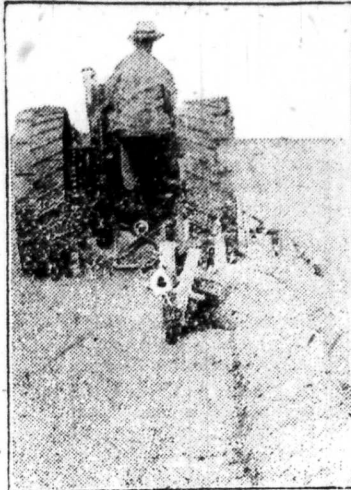
**Ordinarily an Acre of Crop Will Support Twenty to Thirty Shoats—Other Uses for Weed.**

An acre of sweet clover ordinarily will support 20 to 30 shoats. Many other uses for this erstwhile weed are told in *Farmers' Bulletin No. 820*, published by the United States department of agriculture, Washington.

Stock may refuse to eat sweet clover at first, but if they are kept on the field for a few days they will soon develop a liking for it. It will furnish as much pasture during the season as any other legume, with the possible exception of alfalfa.

Sweet clover also makes a first-class hay if it is cut before it gets too coarse, and it is a remarkable soil-builder. It is one of the best honey plants because of the large amount of nectar it produces. Beekeepers would do well to plant at least a small patch of it solely for honey purposes.

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Tractor in Operation.

sive data on tractor plowing operations that have been worked out by any college.

It took one hour and seventeen minutes to plow an acre. The length of furrows was 548 feet. Dead furrows were 393 feet apart. Because of the shortness of the field one-sixth of the time was spent in turning.

A tractor, pulling three 14-inch plows was used. The average rate of speed was 2.25 miles per hour; average draw bar pull 1,677 pounds; horsepower developed 10.06. It took 10 hours and 24 minutes to plow 3.14 acres. The field was level.

The total cost of plowing an acre is figured at \$1.60. This is figured on the basis of kerosene costing 10 cents a gallon, lubricating oil 32 cents a gallon; operator's time 50 cents an hour; interest, depreciation and repairs, 65.3 cents per acre.

### FARM REFLECTIONS

When the average man wants to quit is the time to get interested in horse production.

Gumption is ability to put the grease where the squeak is. Are you onto your job?

Stock raisers should agree as to what breed best fits their locality, and then stick to that breed.

Rats in the grain bin are almost as destructive as a bull in a china shop. A rat-proof granary is a national bulwark these days. Don't neglect it.

Many county fairs are apparently run in the interest of the faker rather than of the farmer. A general overhauling is in order if they are to serve efficiently the object for which they were established.

### Feeding Corn Alone.

Corn, when fed alone to young pigs, produces relatively slow gains at a high feed cost.

### Avoid Damp Litter.

Litter that is damp and dirty may cause sickness in the flock.

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The sketch shows a combination of two of the most fashionable fabrics of the spring. The skirt is short and narrow with a white matelasse hem and panel at the side. The bodice is slim in outline, with long sleeves, and shows a slightly low, slender vest of the matelasse held in by two girdles of black satin.

Poirer, who has a devotional attitude toward anything that comes out of the East, used the skirt throughout his years of success.

Cheruit adopted it in a modified manner half a dozen years ago. Jenny took it up about two winters ago and accentuated it in her popular costumes in such a manner that America grew more weary of it through this channel than any other. Somehow, as Jenny made it, it did not savor of the East. It was merely awkward and extremely girlish.

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and blue taffeta skirts that were tucked up at the hem and caught there and there with a formal little bouquet of roses. How stale and stupid Paris is! was the comment. Can't she ever get it into her head that America does not want that loose, overfull skirt with its ungraceful line about the ankles? Debutantes and young girls continued to dance in this kind of skirt wherever the fiddles sounded, but women of more mature years dismissed it as a shion from the start. Now, here it is again, not only here, it very much accentuated and ac-

centuated in this tulle, and it shows again at the girdle. There is a knotted sash of taffeta that hangs at one side.

Accepted as the leading silhouette among certain houses that establish fashions.

The first French gowns that come over show it; the American dress-makers who are preparing for a brisk spring trade speak of it as a power-fur factor in the shaping of the new fashions. And the interesting part of it is that it entirely changes the silhouette.

This seems to be in contrast with the stated fact that France is persistent in certain things and maintains a certain line for a longer period of time than America. The truth is that France persists with a trick, but changes the silhouette and still uses the trick, and that is what she has done in the new Algerian skirt.

It is difficult to say whether the trousers of the French troops in Algiers give the clew to this new skirt or whether it was the entire array of men in baggy trousers which curve in below the knees to fit the legs.

#### Here is the Silhouette.

The waist is normally large, the line down the hips is either straight or slightly bulging through the fullness of the material, and the hem is exceedingly narrow and tucked under. A woman wearing the most fashionable of these skirts, with high boots added thereunto, will look at a slight distance as though she wore baggy trousers and army boots.

To the majority of women this news may not be welcome. They will fancy a far more sensational garment than what actually exists. That mild revolution against the sheath and the hobble skirt may also crop up against this Algerian skirt, but both the other features of fashion were incorporated in our ordinary apparel after a while, without creating disturbance.

There is so little fullness in this new skirt that it does not seem to be even a first cousin to the skirt of Jenny with its tucked-up hem. That skirt, which pervaded the continent for two years, had a tendency to flare out, to fling itself away from the ankles; this skirt goes in so rapidly from knees to hem that it does not need to undergo the same treatment that was accorded the other skirt.

For instance, to be technical—the fullness at its hem is not caught up and gathered to a short, narrow lining. This is not considered necessary. It is merely turned under and run into the conventional hem, allowing its fullness, slight as it is, to fall against the shoe tops and accentuate the trousered effect.

This extreme skirt has brought about the narrowest silhouette we have had in years. When the hem is not tucked under, it is only wide enough to provide free movement in walking. The skirts are necessarily short, for their narrowness would greatly impede progress if they were long.

#### Fur Trimmings and Pieces.

Just now it is with fur that the most effective suits and coats are trimmed, and nothing is at once so comfy, rich and becoming at this time of year. A very simple costume takes on an air of style with fur fixings, whether these are attached or take the more practical form of separate sets. People who have cleverly waited, writes a New York fashion correspondent, to make their selection of furs have unusual advantages this year, not only in price, but in the assortment, which remains practically unbroken. On display the other day were seen some of the best imported pieces at one-third of the prices earlier in the season. The foxes remained in fascinating array, ranging in all tones from pure white, taupes, browns and grays, to sets of the glossy black that are the most becoming of any dark furs. One advantage of fox furs is that they remain available nearly the year round and are fashionably worn when heavier-looking pelts are laid by.

#### Timely Suggestions.

Warm, new, sleeveless sweaters can be made out of old, discarded ones by ripping carefully and knitting yarn double. The yarn from two to three different color sweaters may be used in making one. After sweater is completed, wash and dye your favorite color.

#### Little Girl's Coat.

It is a pretty idea to make the little girl's coat with a cape and line the cape with a bright lining. If the coat is of plain material a checked material will make the prettiest lining.



## MARCH TO VICTORY

Courage is a matter of the blood. Without good red blood a man has a weak heart and poor nerves.

In the spring is the best time to take stock of one's condition. If the blood is thin and watery, face pale or pimply, generally weak, tired and listless, one should take a spring tonic. One that will do the spring house-cleaning, an old-fashioned herbal remedy that was used by everybody nearly 50 years ago is still safe and sane because it contains no alcohol or narcotic. It is made up of Blood root, Golden Seal root, Oregon Grapes root, Queen's root, Stone root, Black Cherry bark—extracted with glycerine and made into liquid or tablets. This blood tonic was first put out by Dr. Pierce in ready-to-use form and since then has been sold by million bottles as Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. If druggists do not keep this in tablet form, send 50 cents for a vial to Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., or branch in Bridgeburg, Ont.

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The Daughters of the Empire will give a patriotic euchre and dance on Monday evening, 22nd April, serving no refreshments. Tickets, 50c. Everyone welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. John McNeill wish to thank their many friends and neighbors for their great kindness during the sickness and death of their daughter, Evelyn.

James Haines, a man about 65 years of age, took a stroke on the street on Friday last. He never recovered consciousness and died on Sunday night. The remains were taken care of by the town.

Kenneth Cambridge, a former Napanee boy, who enlisted at Kingston, shortly before the family left here for Toronto, has been killed in action. His many friends here will deeply regret his death.

The young people of Anderson S. S. under whose auspices the play "The Old New Hampshire Home" was given at the Town Hall, on March 26th, for the benefit of Anderson Red Cross, wish to thank the committee in charge for the use of the hall, and the Mayor who so ably presided.

On Saturday, March 30, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John McNeill, Centre St., Evelyn McNeill passed away after an illness of some months. Deceased was born at Newburg where she received her High School training and later became a graduate of the Notre Dame Convent, Kingston, where she was very popular among her girl friends. Her funeral took place at St. Patrick's church on Monday morning, where a Requiem High Mass was celebrated by Rev. Father O'Connor.

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7.00—Regular service.

Monday, 8.00—League Meeting

Wednesday, 8.00—Prayer meeting.

Thursday, 7.30—C. S. E. T. Groups meet.

Friday, 8.00—Choir practice.

The Choir has given way in the interests of Food Conservation next Tuesday night, and have definitely fixed April 23rd as the date for their concert.

Don't forget Grace Church Choir Concert, Tuesday evening, April 23rd. Prof. Wheatley, director. Admission 25c. Local and outside talent.

Miss Glenn of Glenn-Charles, Toronto, Canada's Hair Fashion Store, will be in Napanee, Monday, April 15th, Campbell House, with a full line of Ladies' and Gentleman's Hair Goods. If you are not satisfied with the appearance of your hair consult Miss Glenn who is an authority on Hair Goods and individual Hair Styles. Free demonstration.

Mr. W. J. Jewell is superintending the re-modelling of Principal Bruce Taylor's residence at Queen's University. The entire interior will be changed and new additions built. The building is nearly a century old. There are eight old-fashioned fire places for burning wood. The nails used in the building were all hand made as was also all the interior finish panels, door jumps, doors and floors in fact all the wood work was planned by hand.

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## School of Dancing.

Owing to a special patriotic meeting held in the Town Hall on Tuesday evening last, Mr. and Mrs. Johnstone's dancing class was postponed, and will be held in the Town Hall to-night (Friday) at 8 o'clock. Juvenile class in the Town Hall at 4.30 sharp.

## Police Court.

Frank Baker, aged 25, giving America as his place of residence, wanted on a charge of stealing a horse and buggy from Chas. Decker, Odessa, also on a charge of stealing a sum of money and some articles from Stanley Sproule, for whom he had worked for five months, was arrested at Elgin, Ont., with the stolen goods in his

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Robert Pearsall, an aged man, was sent up for one month on a vagrancy charge on Monday.

Blake Sweet, the lad who set fire to Stewart Craven's barn at Hawley a week ago, was up before the Magistrate on Friday last. Three witnesses gave evidence that he confessed to the act. He was sent to the Ontario Reformatory for not less than three months nor more than two years.

## Historical Lecture.

Queen's Hospital in Egypt had a brief, useful and unique career. The locality of the hospital, the fighting units served by it and the personnel of the staff were all factors which gave it an interest to Canadians possessed by no other hospital. Lieut. Col. (Dr.) W. G. Anglin was the surgeon-in-chief and while in Egypt had many interesting experiences and secured a number of lantern slides of ancient ruins, landscapes and typical native scenes. He will address the Historical Society this Friday evening in the Historical Hall over the Public Library. This will be the last lecture of the season and it promises also to be the best. As the annual report and election of officers are on the evening's program the meeting will open at 8 o'clock sharp. All members and patrons of the Society are requested to be in their seats at the opening of the meeting so as not to disturb the proceedings. This is a rare opportunity to learn something about the actual work done by this splendid organization and also to get better acquainted with a country of which most of us know very little at present. All are well whether members of the Society or not and no admission fee is charged. This evening 8 o'clock sharp.

## JUBILEE SINGERS.

Patterson's Jubilee Singers will give an Entertainment in the Armouries, on Thursday evening, April 18th, in aid of the Red Cross Society. Tickets Adults 35c. Children under 15 years, 20c. The Press says:—"I take the greatest pleasure in recommending Patterson's Jubilee Singers. They have appeared in my church on two occasions and the people anxiously await the earliest opportunity of hearing them again. Their program from first to last appeals to the best in one's self, full of smiles and cheer. Void of vulgarity, and leaving a lasting impression for good. Amid tears and laughter, every number was received with sweeping applause. The Jubilee Singers are fully entitled to place among the first entertainers of the land. REV. T. W. POOLE, B.A., Pastor Calvary Methodist Church, Hamilton, Ont." "The equal of the Jubilee Singers has not been heard here in many years. The organization is above the average, and are well educated people of refinement and talent. The first part of the program consisted of plantation melodies, and were rendered in a characteristic and pleasing manner. Part second displayed the voices in more classical selections. They appear to-night for the last time.—The Brockville Times, Brockville, Ont."

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## Wonderland

Friday and Saturday, April 12th and 13th, Charlie Chaplin, in "The Vagabond", and other good reel Saturday and Monday education reel taken in the Willys-Overlark plant. Wednesday and Thursday April 17th and 18th, special feature, with William Farnum in "The Conqueror". Prices for Wednesday and Thursday, Children 10c. Adult 15c. We pay War Tax.

## All Are Invited.

An opportunity to learn how to care for your backyard garden will be given to the people of Napanee on Tuesday evening, the 16th instant. The Horticultural Society has secured Prof. J. A. Neilson lecturer on Horticulture at the Agricultural College Guelph, to deliver an address in the Town Hall upon this date. The Prof. is not only an expert in horticulture but will exhibit three moving pictures illustrating the different processes so the audience will not only be told how to manage their gardens but will be able to see the work performed by experienced workmen. War or famine, or no famine, the lessons should be learned by everyone who has a few feet of ground that can be spared for cultivation. Much time and effort are wasted over garden plots through ignorance of the proper methods to be employed. This is the first time such an opportunity has been afforded the people of Napanee. No one should afford to miss it.

## OBITUARY.

Annie Cunningham, relict of the late Luke Cunningham, of the Village of Bath, passed peacefully in eternal rest on Wednesday, March 27th, at 10 a.m., at the age of 74 years, 3 months and 2 days. A daughter of Patrick and Roset Murphy and of a family of five, was the last living member. For over fifty-six years she had lived in Bath. Quiet and unassuming was her life. She proved a kind and obliging neighbor, broad-minded, willing to help in any good cause. A faithful member of the Roman Catholic church where the funeral was conducted on Holy Saturday, by the Rev. Father Hyland. A large number of friends and acquaintances gathered to pay a last tribute to the departed. She is survived by three daughters, a two sons, Mrs. B. F. Denison, Selby, Ont.; Mrs. S. J. Drummond of Casnovia, Mich., and Miss J. who tenderly and lovingly cared for her during her illness; Charles A., Kingston, Ill., and Leo V. Chicago, are left to mourn a tender loving mother. Many were the spiritual offerings received and the floral tributes showed the esteem in which she was held. The body was placed in the vault to await interment later. Much sympathy is extended to the grief stricken family.

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11.45—Sunday School.  
7.00—Evening worship.  
Tuesday, 3 to 6—Social afternoon  
by the Mission Circle at the home of  
Mrs. Amos Kimmery.  
Tuesday, 6.15—Girls classes.  
Wednesday, 7.30—Prayer service.  
Wednesday, 8.30—Annual meeting of  
the Men's Class.  
Thursday, 6.00—Boys classes.  
Thursday, 7.30—Choir practice,

# PERSONALS

Sergt. W. M. Lewis spent Easter at  
his home in Switzerland.  
Miss Maud Dudgeon, Selby, left on  
Friday to spend a few weeks the  
guest of her sister, Mrs. Howard V.  
Cramp, Toronto.

Miss Edna Lewis returned on Mon-  
day to resume her duties at Peter-  
boro' Normal School.

Capt. R. G. H. Travers returned home  
on Sunday on sick leave.

Miss Lucy Clancy spent the week-  
end with friends in Kingston.

Mr. Harold Denison returned last  
week from spending the winter in the  
States.

Mr. Harry Pybus, of Toronto, was  
home on a visit to his parents, Mr.  
and Mrs. Robt. Pybus.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Shibley left  
on Wednesday for Woodstock, where  
they will reside.

Mrs. Jack Shannon, Picton, is the  
guest of Mrs. Orval Ward.

Mr. Morris Trottier, of the Mer-  
chants' Bank staff, has been trans-  
ferred to Lansdowne.

Mr. Allan Gausden is in Belleville  
visiting his mother before going to  
Kingston to don khaki.

Miss Gladys Miller, Kingston, is  
spending a few days with friends in  
Napanee.

Mrs. Orval Ward spent last week  
with her parents in Picton.

Mr. E. J. Roy was in Ottawa a  
couple of days this week.

Mrs. Alfred Joyce, of Toronto ;  
Mrs. John Coulter, of Watertown,  
N. Y. ; Mrs. W. A. Boice, of Syra-  
cuse, and Mr. Ezra Vanalstine, of  
Brockville, returned to their homes  
on Monday after attending the fun-  
eral of their sister, Mrs. Joseph  
Buck.

Mrs. Herbert Daly is spending the  
week with friends in Toronto.

Mrs. W. J. Jewell is visiting her  
sister in Picton.

Mrs. Dr. Fisher and family are re-  
moving to Ottawa this week.

Mr. H. A. Simmons, Peterborough,  
was in Napanee Thursday.

Mrs. F. P. Douglas has returned  
from a month's visit with her brother  
in Ottawa.

Mrs. Donnelly, Kingston, is the  
guest of Mrs. F. P. Douglas.

Miss Helen Herrington, Toronto,  
spent the holidays with her parents,  
Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Herrington.

Miss Olive Hambly spent the Easter  
holidays with friends in Toronto.

Mrs. Morphy, Toronto, spent last  
week the guest of Mrs. W. K. Pruyne.

Messrs. J. E. Robinson and U. M.  
Wilson attended the Y.M.C.A. con-  
vention in Toronto on Friday last.

Mr. Albine Woods spent a few days

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in this city was one of the best ever  
held. Buyers were present from On-  
tario and Quebec points. One hun-  
dred head of thorough-bred cattle were  
sold by Auctioneer Norman Montgom-  
ery, and the sale totalled nearly \$22-  
000. Daisy Gerben Verbella, seven-  
year-old cow, consigned by C. Baker,  
Brighton, brought \$1,126, the pur-  
chaser being Mr. Brock Scripture, of  
Brighton. Countess Walker Sergis  
sold for \$900, the consigner being E.  
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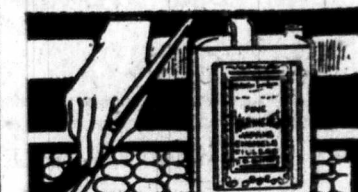
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## RD OF THANKS.

Acts of kindness bring their own reward, yet Mr. Joseph Buck, the husband, and Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Malstine the parents, wish to publicly thank their friends and neighbors expressions of sympathy and acts of kindness shown them in their recent bereavement in the death of their son and daughter, Minnie Margaret Buck.

## Wonderland

Friday and Saturday, April 12th and 13th, Charlie Chaplin, in "The gabond", and other good reels. Sunday and Monday educational films taken in the Willys-Overland nt. Wednesday and Thursday, April 17th and 18th, special Fox trots, with William Farnum in "The conqueror". Prices for Wednesday 1 Thursday, Children 10c. Adults 15c. We pay War Tax.

## Are Invited.

An opportunity to learn how to care for your backyard garden will be given to the people of Napanee on Tuesday evening, the 16th instant. The Horticultural Society has secured of J. A. Neilson lecturer on Horticulture at the Agricultural College, Elphinstown, to deliver an address in the Town Hall upon this date. The Prof. is not only an expert in horticulture but will exhibit three moving pictures illustrating the different processes so the audience will not only be able to manage their gardens but will be able to see the work performed by experienced workmen. War or no war, famine or no famine, these lessons should be learned by everyone who has a few feet of ground that can be spared for cultivation. Much time and effort are wasted over gardens through ignorance of the proper methods to be employed. This is the first time such an opportunity has been afforded the people of Napanee. One should afford to miss it.

## ITUARY.

Annie Cunningham, relict of the late Luke Cunningham, of the Village of Bath, passed peacefully into eternal rest on Wednesday, March 14th, at 10 a.m., at the age of 73 years, 3 months and 2 days. The daughter of Patrick and Rosetta Murphy and of a family of five, was the last living member. For over sixty-six years she had lived in Bath, a quiet and unassuming was her life, she proved a kind and obliging neighbor, broad-minded, willing to help in any good cause. A faithful member of the Roman Catholic church where the funeral was conducted on Friday, Saturday, by the Rev. Father Maland. A large number of friends and acquaintances gathered to pay last tribute to the departed. She was survived by three daughters and two sons, Mrs. B. F. Denison, of Bath, Ont.; Mrs. S. J. Drummond, of Casnovia, Mich., and Miss J. O. who tenderly and lovingly cared for her during her illness; Charles A., of Kingston, Ill., and Leo V. of Chicago, are left to mourn a tender loving mother. Many were the spiritual offerings received and the floral tributes showed the esteem in which she was held. The body was placed in the vault to await interment later. Much sympathy is extended to the stricken family.

Prinkets or cash for Y.M.C.A. Fund received at Mr. F. L. Hooper's.

Mrs. Donnelly, Kingston, is the guest of Mrs. F. P. Douglas.

Miss Helen Herrington, Toronto, spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Herrington.

Miss Olive Hambly spent the Easter holidays with friends in Toronto.

Mrs. Morphy, Toronto, spent last week the guest of Mrs. W. K. Pruyn.

Messrs. J. E. Robinson and U. M. Wilson attended the Y.M.C.A. convention in Toronto on Friday last.

Mr. Alpine Woods spent a few days this week in Ottawa.

Mr. Cecil Foster, Toronto, is spending a few in town.

Miss M. VanSlyck has sold her house on Robinson street to Mr. McNeilly and has purchased Mrs. Lattimer's house on Thomas street.

Miss Lola Madden spent last week with her sister, Miss Lillie Madden, Toronto.

Mrs. James Fitzpatrick, Toronto, has been spending the week in town, the guest of Mrs. G. A. Wallace and Mrs. Richard McNeill.

Mr. Arthur Kimmitt, Mr. Thos. Kimmitt and Miss Ellen Kimmitt, Roblin, have returned home after spending the winter in Colorado.

## MARRIAGES.

CARROLL—HUDSON—At Napanee, March 27th, 1918, by the Rev. J. H. H. Coleman, Maud Ellen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Carroll, to Charlie Hudson, son of Mr. George Hudson, both of Bath.

SEXSMITH—PARKS—On Wednesday, April 10th, 1918, at Trinity Parsonage, by Rev. C. W. Demille, Leah Madeline, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oke B. Parks, to John Stanley Sexsmith.

## DEATHS

HAINES—At Napanee, on Monday, April 8th, 1918, James Haines.

In loving memory of Geo. B. Pearson, who gave his life for his King and Country on the battlefields of France, April 11th, 1917.

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